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OLD ORDER GONE FOREVER IN GERMANY, EBERT TELLS THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

Empire to Be One of Justice and Truth, Chancellor Declares.

"LADIES AND GENTLEMEN"

Are Words Used in Calling the Body to Order; Feature is Historic in the Teutonic Nation; Unique "Strike" Is Put Into Effect in Dusseldorf.

By Associated Press.

WEIMAR, Germany, Feb. 7.—The old order in Germany has gone beyond recall and the people now are determined to rule themselves, declared Frederick Ebert, the chancellor, calling the national assembly to order here this afternoon.

"We will call on the old German spirit of Weimar," he said. "We will be an empire of justice and truth."

The chancellor opened the proceedings of the assembly at 3:15 o'clock. He was received with applause as he advanced for the ceremonial. In opening he addressed the assembly as "Ladies and gentlemen"—a form of address never before heard in a German executive body. The chancellor's speech was an earnest appeal for unity and untiring labor.

BANKERS, LAWYERS, OTHER PROFESSIONAL MEN "STRIKE."

BERLIN, Wednesday, Feb. 6.—The whole city of Dusseldorf has "walked out." Officials' clerks and other employes in the service of railways, telegraph, telephone and service lines, bankers, lawyers, physicians, teachers and other persons engaged in professions have quit work. The employes on all public service lines are striking in keeping with the threat to the ex-government to call a general strike of bourgeois class if their demands were not granted.

FIGHTING CONTINUES IN CITY OF BREMEN.

BERLIN, Wednesday, Feb. 6.—Unconfirmed press dispatches from Bremen indicate that the insurgents there are continuing guerilla warfare in the outskirts of the city and in the harbor, notwithstanding the government claim that the uprising was quelled on Tuesday.

COMMISSION PROGRESSES ON LEAGUE PROGRAM.

PARIS, Feb. 6.—The society of nations commission of the peace conference held a session last night which was attended by all the 19 members, which continued for three hours. The commission made considerable progress and disposed of additional sections of the plans for the society of nations.

The commission will continue to meet nightly until a complete plan is agreed upon. President Wilson was with the commission at the opening of its session, and remained throughout the entire evening.

STRUCK BY TRAIN

Mrs. Ralph Morrison Walks Too Close to Engine at Ohiopyle.

When struck by Baltimore & Ohio train No. 42, from which she alighted yesterday morning at Ohiopyle, Mrs. Ralph Morrison, a well known resident of South Connellsville, suffered a fractured skull and is in the private hospital of Dr. Frantz at Confluence in a critical condition.

Mrs. Morrison had intended to visit relatives in Ohiopyle and when she got off the train she walked so closely by the engine that it caught her. The injured woman was placed on the train and at Bidwell Dr. Myers boarded the train and attended her until her arrival at Confluence. It was stated this morning by Dr. Frantz that Mrs. Morrison was unconscious and the fracture was a bad one. However, he was unable to tell as yet what the outcome of her injury may be. Mrs. Morrison is a widow. Her husband, who was a railroader, died November 4, last, of influenza at the emergency hospital.

COMPANY D BOY DIES

Fracture of Skull, Suffered in Battle, Fatal to Charles McCullough.

Mrs. E. C. Victor, of Fairchance received a telegram yesterday afternoon announcing the death of her nephew, Charles McCullough, Company D, 110th Regiment, at the United States hospital at Cape May on Thursday. He was the son of Fred McCullough, of Masontown.

McCullough received a wound to his head on July 15 and was sent home, dying at Cape May hospital of compound fracture of the skull. The body will be sent to his home at Masontown and it is expected that the funeral services will be held some time Saturday. The body is being accompanied by a corporal and six privates who will give a military funeral.

To Meet With Bolsheviki.

PARIS, Feb. 6.—William Allen White, of Emporia, Kan., and Professor George David Herron have been appointed the American delegates to the Marmora conference with the Russian faction [illegible]

A FOUR-YEAR ROAD PROGRAM WILL GIVE STATE GREAT SYSTEM

Total Expenditures $80,000,000 To Come from Bond Issues, Revenues and Auto Licenses.

HARRISBURG, Feb. 7.—The most ambitious highway project ever undertaken by a single state is comprehended in the plan Governor Sproul has been instrumental in having drafted. It will cover the next four years and will involve the expenditure of from $75,000,000 to $80,000,000, the money coming from the $50,000,000 bond issue, current revenues, automobile licenses and federal aid. At the end of his administration Governor Sproul is confident that all county seats in the state will be connected with main highways of improved character.

"The road expenditures for the next two years," Governor Sproul said in an interview yesterday, "will amount to about $40,000,000, made up of $25,000,000 from proceeds of road bonds, $10,000,000 from current revenues, automobile license fees and some federal aid. We have a program covering the four years and shall adhere to it closely.

"At present it is impossible to estimate the mileage that our money will build. High cost of labor and materials must be considered. I am also informed that the federal government, through its Railroad Administration, is planning to hamper us by increasing the freight rates on road building materials, while another branch of the United States government urging the states to engage in road building to give employment to labor and a $200,000,000 road building project is being discussed by Congress.

"The thing that is glaringly apparent in our national administration, and which this illustrates, is an absolute lack of coöperation between the different branches of executive authority. They seem to be floating in the clouds instead of walking on the earth where the people live. There are all sorts of utopian schemes being advocated.

"One of the important details of our plan is more liberality towards the boroughs. Their inability to provide proper upkeep of their streets, which are connecting links of main highways, tends to nullify the state program unless we broaden the state's attitude concerning these municipalities. Commissioner Lewis S. Sadler is working out a plan to give immediate aid in making temporary improvements in some boroughs."

OLD JOBS BACK FOR B. & O. MEN WANTING THEM

All employes of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, who have been in the military service and have received their honorable discharges are being returned to their old positions and in most cases with a substantial increase in salary over what they had been receiving when they entered the service. It is estimated that on the Cumberland division that approximately 200 men have been re-instated. No estimate on the number who have been given back their jobs on the Connellsville division could be secured here.

It was stated however, that the men are being taken care of as they report home. The persons who filled the positions of the soldiers are also being taken care of where it is possible. Very few are being dropped entirely. The policy is general over the entire system.

The men who are returning include machinists, trainmen operators and members of the clerical force. Several clerks have already been reinstated in the offices here.

A total of 6,794 employes of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad entered the service, and many of that number were made commissioned or non-commissioned officers.

It has been learned that the men who were reported laid off here were employes discharged for the neglect of duty. With military men returning it is an easy matter to fill these vacancies.

HEARING DATE SET

Protest Against West Penn Increase Will be Heard Feb. 26.

Notice was received by Attorney E. C. Higbee this morning from the Public Service Commission that the date for the hearing of the protest against the increase in West Penn Railways rates had been set for February 26. The hearing will be in Pittsburg.

The Colonel's Attention Invited.

DICKERSON RUN, Feb. 7.—David H. Rissel of Dawson goes Colonel James J. Barnhart one better on the egg question. He has a buff leghorn pullet which laid an egg one day this week measuring eight and one-half inche one way and six and one-half inches one way and six and one-half the other [illegible]

MACCABEES VOTE TO PURCHASE THE NEWS BUILDING

Thirty-Day Option on East Crawford Avenue Property is Secured.

WILL BE USED AS A HOME

Committee is Named to Determine Whether it Will be Worth While to Remodel or Whether New Building Will be Best; Deal Involves $8,500.

Negotiations are in progress for the purchase by the Maccabees of the H. M. Kephart property in East Crawford avenue, now used by the Daily News and Alderman W. D. Colborn. At a meeting of Yough Tent No. 159 last night it was voted to instruct S. R. Goldsmith, the commander and tent attorney, to close up the deal with Mr. Kephart immediately upon his arrival here from Harrisburg. Mr. Goldsmith secured a 30-day option on the property from Mr. Kephart a week ago, but not until last night did the organization decide to buy it.

When the Maccabees sold their former home in South Pittsburg street to the Baltimore & Ohio railroad company to be used as a Y. M. C. A. they appointed a committee to be known as the building committee to select a site for the new home. The committee was made up of Great Commander Blainey, S. R. Goldsmith and H. G. Batten.

At the meeting last night the possibilities of temporary use of the building as it now stands as a club house were discussed. Mr. Batten was in favor of having the building remodeled and moving into it, but some practical builders present raised an objection that the building wasn't worth the money they would spend in doing it.

A committee was appointed to examine the building with a view to remodeling and to report at the next meeting. The committee is made up of Walter Shaw, chairman, John M. Franks, M. B. Pryce, James W. Howard, J. A. Kessler, H. G. Batten and Dave Cohen.

The consideration named in the option is $8,500.

SEVERAL HOMES ROBBED

Dollar and Half of Church Money Part of Small Sum Secured.

Another robbery occurred last night on the South Side. The home of J. M. Young was entered and over $7.00 in money was taken. The thieves entered the home through a rear window, went through all the clothes that were downstairs, piling them all in the middle of the diningroom floor. They got $1.50 in church money which Mrs. Young had left on the mantel in the diningroom and $6.34 in pennies. As far as they can tell now there was nothing else bothered.

Other places broken into were the home of G. W. Campbell and the Highland Chemical Company's building. The door of Mr. Campbell's refrigerator was forced open and the window was removed from the rear of the chemical establishment, but as far as is known there was nothing taken.

BLUEBIRDS ARE HERE

Several Reported Flitting About Trees at Pechin.

PECHIN, Feb. 7.—The first bluebirds made their appearance Wednesday morning. They came shortly after dawn and were singing as cheerfully as if spring were already here. They did not mind the frost but at once flew to the maples about the Keffer residence, and then to the sumacs where they feasted on the big red seed-heads. The sumacs are left among the maples for this very purpose, and many of the early birds appear to remember from year to year that they have both food and protection. Many of them will later nest in the boxes put up for their accommodation. Robins, catbirds, goldfinches, woodthrushes, linnets, and many others find the maples a paradise.

BUMS ORDERED OUT

Mayor Threatens to Send Night Lodgers to County Jail.

William McClesen, George Sustrige and Sam Moffett, Pittsburg; Thomas Thomas, Scranton; George McBeth, Smithfield; and John Wren, Massachusetts, all night lodgers in the city hall were taken before Mayor John Duggan this morning. The men were sharply reprimanded for "bumming" and were told to leave the city immediately.

The police have been providing lodging for several men every night and this morning the seven who applied last night were held for a hearing. Mayor Duggan has issued a warning that in the future these men will be sent to the county jail in Uniontown and worked on the roads.

Smoker for Service Men.

A smoker for the returned soldiers, sailors and marines will be held tonight at 8 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. at Scottdale. There will be music and talks by the men returned from overseas service [illegible]

DRASTIC ACTION TO BRING HUNS TO SENSES PROBABLE

Supreme War Council Meets This Afternoon to Consider Further Armistice Extension.

By Associated Press.

PARIS, Feb. 7.—The Allied premiers who will meet this afternoon as the supreme Inter-Allied war council probably will fix new terms to be imposed upon Germany, whose tactics of obstruction and recrimination are said to have reached a climax in a threat made at Weimar, by Chancellor Ebert that Germany would break off negotiations with the Allies.

It is expected that the supreme council will take measures to bring the Germans to a sense of the reality.

Marshal Foch will go to Treves February 17 to fix the conditions for a third renewal of the armistice.

GEORGE PRITCHARD DEPOSITS $50 FOR A COMPANY D FUND

The first donation towards a fund which will be used in giving the returning service men of this city a fitting reception was made today when George Pritchard deposited $50 in the Yough Trust bank here. There has been no definite move begun here as yet for the collection of a fund for a celebration in honor of Connellsville's soldiers but in anticipation of the fact that there will be such a fund needed, Mr. Pritchard made his deposit.

Mr. Pritchard has no intention of starting a canvass for funds, or even of handling donations, but merely deposited his $50 in order that it could be turned over to the celebration committee should he not be here to do it at the time.

STRIKES FOLLOW WAGE CUTS IN THE COPPER REGIONS

General Morrison Goes to Seattle to Take Charge of Army End in the Big Strike There.

By Associated Press.

JEROME, Ariz., Feb. 7.—Copper mining companies here today announced a wage cut effective tomorrow of 75 cents per day. The order affects nearly 4,000 men and puts the base wage for miners back to $5.15 a day.

BUTTE, Mont., Feb. 7.—The entire day shift of the Elm Arlu mine, owned by former United States Senator Clark, walked out this morning because of the reduction of $1 a day in wages.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 7.—Major General John F. Morrison, commanding the Western Department of the Army, has gone to Seattle to take charge of the army end of the strike situation there and at Tacoma. This was announced at department headquarters today.

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 7.—A municipal street car, the first car to run in Seattle in 24 hours, left the train hall today and proceeded on its regular run to Ballard, a suburb. The car went through the business district without experiencing trouble.

GREATEST MEETING OF ALL IN UNION REVIVAL CAMPAIGN

Thirty Persons, Including Dozen Young People, Present Themselves at the Mourners' Bench.

The greatest meeting of the union revival was held last night, full house, great message and inspiring singing under the leadership of Rev. and Mrs. Grant Pollock. "The Wages of Sin is Death." was Rev. R. E. Cairns' text. Thirty persons came to the altar, the largest number of any meeting. One of the beautiful features of last night's meeting was the coming to the altar of a group of about a dozen boys and girls.

The Pollocks will be present for the last time tonight. Prayer meeting will be at 7 o'clock this evening, followed by the evangelistic services. As usual, there will be services on Saturday night at 7 and 7:30 o'clock.

Plan to Maintain Prices.

A combination is being formed among Scottish coal producers to prevent unnecessary depreciation in prices of coal.

Weather Forecast

Fair tonight and probably Saturday; no decided change in the temperature is the noon weather forecast for Western Pennsylvania.

Temperature Record.

	1919	1918
Maximum	42	50
Minimum	28	40
Mean	35	45

The Yough river fell during the night from 1.40 feet to 1.35 feet. [illegible]

INCREASED FOOD PRODUCTION BODY SPENT $11,515.96

During the Period of Its Activity, Beginning May 14, 1917.

EXPENSES WERE ONLY $36

Supplied Farmers and Growers With Seeds at Cost and Turned Nice Sum Over to Farm Bureau, Part of Which Is to Form Revolving Pig Club Fund.

The splendid work done by the Increased Food Production committee of the Fayette county division of the Pennsylvania Council of National Defense and Committee of Public Safety is recalled by the filing of the report of E. T. Norton, treasurer. This statement shows that a total of $13,415.20 was made available for the purpose of providing farmers and gardeners of the county with seeds and plants during the summer of 1917 from the use of which the food production of the season was very materially increased. The initial fund of $2,581.25 was provided by subscriptions received from individuals and corporations throughout the county. The remainder was derived from the sale, at cost, of seed potatoes, beans, buckwheat, corn and plants.

The total expenditures were $11,515.96, leaving a balance of $1,899.24, which was turned over to the Fayette County Farm Bureau. The economy with which the affairs of the committee were administered is shown by the fact that its expenses were limited to the inconsiderable sum of $36.05. The receipts and expenditures between May 14, 1917, and February 4, 1919, are shown by Mr. Norton's report as follows:

RECEIPTS.

From subscriptions	$ 2,581.25
From sale of potatoes	6,620.35
From sale of beans	874.30
From sale of buckwheat	1,717.66
From sale of corn	1,424.00
From miscellaneous	197.64
Total receipts	$13,415.20

EXPENDITURES.

For potatoes	$ 6,734.53
For beans	898.33
For buckwheat	2,348.05
For corn	1,424.00
For plants	75.00
For printing and expenses	36.05
Total expended account food production	11,515.96
Paid Fayette County Farm Bureau, as per resolution Committee Dec. 10, 1918	549.91
	12,065.33
Balance, to be turned over to Fayette County Farm Bureau	1,349.33
Total expenditures	$13,415.20

The losses sustained on the sale of seed supplies, due to shrinkage, failure of purchasers to make payments and other causes were as follows: On potatoes, $114.18; on beans, $24.03; on buckwheat, $630.39; printing, etc., $35.05, or a total of $804.65. The heavy loss on buckwheat resulted from the seed having arrived too late for planting, leaving it to be otherwise disposed of to the best advantage.

The gains on seed sales were: Miscellaneous, plants, etc., $122.64, making the net loss on all transactions, $682.01. Deducting this from the cash subscriptions, $2,581.25, there remained a balance of $1,899.24, out of which $549.91 was paid to the Farm Bureau to replace the motor car of the bureau which was virtually worn out in the service of the Increased food production committee. The unexpended balance of $1,349.33 was turned over to the Farm Bureau by resolution of the committee at a meeting held December 10. Of this amount approximately $100.00 is to be used by the bureau in the preparation of its report to the Department of Agriculture. The remainder is to constitute a permanent revolving fund for the purchase of brood sows by the members of the boys' pig clubs in the county. Advances to boys for this purpose are to be covered by notes to be repaid by the makers after the sale of the pigs raised by them.

The committee consisted of E. E. Arnold, Flatwoods; Albert Gaddis, Uniontown; P. E. Dougherty, Farm Agent; E. T. Norton and Robert Norris, Connellsville.

LUTHERANS TO MERGE

Will Affect 400 Congregations and 50,000 Members in West. Penna.

A motion to merge the two synods of the Lutheran church was adopted unanimously by 300 ministers and laymen of the church at its convention in Pittsburg yesterday. A committee was appointed to work out a merger plan.

The merging of the two synods will bring together more than 400 congregations with 50,000 members, and will cover all territory west of the Allegheny mountains, or approximately one-third of the state.

CONTRACTOR TARGET

Unknown Men Fire Several Shots at Paul Bianca, Uniontown.

An attempt to kill Paul Bianca, Uniontown contractor, was made this morning by three unknown men who fired several shots at Mr. Bianca as he left his home to come down town.

One shot took effect, striking in the hip. Mr. Bianca knows no motive for the shooting, he said. [illegible]

COMPLAINTS OF BAD TREATMENT OF SOLDIERS OVERSEAS POURING IN UPON CONGRESSMEN IN A FLOOD

CAPT. ED. BOYLE TO ADDRESS VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS

Congressman Crago and Lieut. Jeffrey May be at Annual Banquet Here Tomorrow Night.

Distinguished speakers will be here for the banquet of the Veterans of Foreign Wars to be held at the Elks' Home tomorrow night in celebration of the 20th anniversary of the Philippine Insurrection. Captain Ed. Boyle of the 110th Machine Gun Company, who recently returned from France will be present. Congressman Thomas S. Crago will also speak and an effort will be made to have Lieutenant Robert H. Jeffrey of Uniontown, who was a prisoner of war of the Germans, here for the banquet.

The program has been made up and an excellent dinner will be served. The invitation committee wishes to say that it did not have the addresses of all the old "Fighting Tenth" members and that any member of old Company D were welcome at the banquet.

MICHAELS DISCHARGED

Local Man Recovering From Wounds Received in Action.

W. C. Michaels, who was with the Signal Corps in France, arrived here this morning, having been honorably discharged from the service.

Mr. Michaels was wounded in action and suffered several shrapnel wounds of the hand, head, ear and face. While the wounds of his hand and head were very severe they have practically healed. Mr. Michaels before enlisting in the service was a lineman for the Western Union Telegraph company and is ready to return to his work.

He arrived in the States several weeks ago and was removed to a hospital in New York, where he received further treatment for his wounds. He stated that thousands instead of hundreds of men around him were being killed and that he never expected to return to the States

Will Honor New York Tags.

The police this morning received a notice from the State Highway Department that automobiles bearing 1918 New York state license tags should be honored until February 15. The demand for tags has been so great in New York that the supply was inadequate.

ELEVEN ARTICLES OF NATIONS LEAGUE PLAN COMPLETED

By Associated Press.

PARIS, Feb. 7.—Eleven articles of the project for the society of nations were discussed and approved with small modifications by the peace conference commission on that subject at its meeting last night. President Wilson presided at the meeting.

The only article not approved was the paragraph concerning abolition of compulsory military service unless required by reason of national defense under extraordinary circumstances. Premier Orlando of Italy opposed the paragraph remarking that if conscription once were abolished an attempt to revive it might lead to serious trouble, even a revolution.

Leon Bourgeois, one of the French members, joined Premier Orlando in strongly opposing the abolition of conscription. He declared that France, owing to her geographical position needs a standing army and never could consent to strip herself of her defenses. The paragraph was then cancelled and it was decided to leave to each country freedom to select a system of recruiting its forces up to the amount of troops which will be fixed later by the society of nations.

Another article which caused animated discussion was that concerning the method of applying military coercion to the country refusing to comply with the decision of the society of nations or breaking its rule. Owing to the very conflicting views expressed the commission decided to postpone a definite decision until another meeting. The commission will meet again tonight.

COAL TIPPLE BURNED

Loss Estimated at $50,000 Caused this Morning at Isabella No. 2.

The new tipple at the Isabella No. 2 plant of the Hecla Coal & Coke company, near Brownsville, was destroyed by fire early this morning, with a loss of $50,000. The cause of the fire is unknown.

Operations will not be halted. The mine is connected with No. 1 and coal will be diverted through the No. 1 opening.

Not J. W. Madigan.

It was J. Showalter Madigan, not J. W. Madigan, who was fined in court in Uniontown Tuesday for his part in an automobile accident in Dunbar township [illegible]

Are Being Kept in Army Indefinitely to Ease Labor Market, is Charge.

TURNED INTO STEVEDORES

And Required to Do All Sorts of Menial Tasks While Waiting Official Washington's Pleasure to Bring Them Home; No Pay for Months.

Special to The Courier.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—The soldiers' letters setting forth condition in the billets of the 80th Division in France, published in The Courier this week, are but samples of the scores and hundreds of missives Congressmen have been receiving direct from soldiers or friends to whom they were sent originally. So general has the receipt of complaints become, without any known effort upon part of the War Department to remedy them, that members of Congress are becoming seriously aroused over the situation.

Republican members charge freely that an attempt is being made on the part of the Democratic administration to keep in the army as long as possible the boys overseas and in camps on this side of the water in order to prevent their overloading the labor market and thereby accentuating the growing condition of unemployment throughout the country, which is resulting from the same lack of preparation to meet the requirements of peace that there was to meet the demands of war.

It is declared by them that it is the first duty of the officials of the War Department to bring about the return to their homes and vocations at the earliest minute of the men who voluntarily enlisted or were drafted for the period of the war, and that they should not be held longer on the pretext of suppressing the Bolsheviki, policing Europe, awaiting the formal announcement of peace, or doing guard duty no longer necessary.

That there is ground for the charge of such an intention to detain the soldiers further than necessary is amply proven by numerous cases of large numbers of them being given manual labor of no direct connection with the fighting game. One of these is brought to attention by a man overseas who writes that of 490 men in his camp who were wounded or sick were compelled to do stevedore work such as unloading coal. At the same time these men were housed in barracks without windows or doors.

In a letter to a member of the House a private in a Maryland camp, a former school teacher, writes: "Through the painful months of toil and sacrifice which we have undergone, we felt with the same degree of confidence that, if fate decree we live, we should enjoy with equal advantage the fruits of the things we strove for, that the guaranty of quick return to civil life was meant for us as for others; but we are now told by officials of our camp that they need us for many months more to do work that we are justly convinced is not necessary and right for us to do under conditions as they now exist, work that does not come within the duty of militant forces but of government contracts only. We cannot help but give vent to feelings that breed discontent and resentment. Business and our future demand that we be released. Groups of individuals must no more be made the tools or serve a base political means of individuals than nations."

Yet this is only one of many grave charges of negligence and inhumanity on the part of the officials of the War Department toward those in the army during the war, at home and abroad. With voluminous evidence members of Congress have presented the following facts:

That the mails have broken down completely, due to inefficiency in handling them. Two tons of letters not given to boys awaiting them are admitted by the department. Many thousands of missives have been returned to parents and friends with the statement that they were undelivered to the addresses because sick. In other words

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FIRE INCENDIARY

That is Belief Relative to Star Junction Building Destroyed.

An investigation into the fire which destroyed an eight-room house in course of construction at the plant of the Washington Coal & Coke company at Star Junction developed that the fire did not originate from fire the workmen had built, as was reported yesterday.

A. M. Haines, of the Connellsville Construction company, which has the contract for the building of the houses, said this morning that there was no doubt in his mind but what the house was wilfully set on fire by some one around the plant.

"We are now closing out our 16th year," said Mr. Haines, "and this is the first time that any of our work has been destroyed by fire."

Gassed Soldier Home.

Patrick McDonough, who recently returned from overseas, arrived at his home at Brookvale, Wednesday night. McDonough was gassed [illegible]

Society

A pretty home wedding was that of Miss Geraldine Buttermore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Buttermore of North Pittsburg street, and Howard Murray, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Murray of Scottdale, solemnized last evening at 8 o'clock in the home of the bride. Rev. G. L. C. Richardson, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church, officiated, using the ring service. The bride wore a handsome gown of white satin and carried a shower of bride's roses. Miss Zea Loomis, a cousin of the bride, was bridesmaid, and Wayne Buttermore, a brother of the bride, was best man. Following the ceremony a prettily appointed wedding supper was served. The bride is one of the best known young women of Connellsville and is popular among her friends. The bridegroom is employed by the government at Scottdale. Mr. and Mrs. Murray left for a wedding trip and on their return will be at home in Mulberry street, Scottdale. Out of town guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Murray, parents of the bridegroom, Misses Nora and Viletta Murray, James Murray, Mrs. Emma Loomis and Adrian Loomis, all of Scottdale; Mrs. Lloyd King, Greensburg; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Buttermore, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Loomis, all of Uniontown; Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Porter, Fairchance; Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Keck and Miss Katherine Guildin, Mount Pleasant.

Roy Coffman Miller of Indian Head and Ruth Marie Stouffer of Greensburg were granted a marriage license in Cumberland Thursday.

Miss Easter Bricker, daughter of Mrs. Mollie Bricker of Pechin, last Friday became the bride of Fred Colbert of Adelaide. They quietly went to Cumberland and were there made one. After a wedding trip they expect to reside at Adelaide where the husband is employed by the H. C. Frick Coke company.

Mrs. John Whitehouse of Dormont announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Lillian A. Whitehouse, to James B. Shea, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Shea of Smithton. Miss Whitehouse is a Seton hill graduate and Mr. Shea is a Penn State man. Until his recent discharge from the Army he was a first lieutenant in the field artillery.

A large and enjoyable open meeting of the Ladies' Aid and Missionary society of the United Presbyterian church was held last evening in the church, with the honorary members, who are the men of the church, as guests. Mrs. W. H. Francis, the president, presided and Mrs. W. B. Carson conducted the devotional exercises. Mrs. H. M. Chorpenning read an interesting paper on "The Freedmen of the South." Several vocal solos, by Miss Elizabeth Mae Brown and a reading by Gertrude Cypher, were delightful features of the meeting. At the conclusion of the program refreshments were served by a committee composed of Mrs. L. H. Grant, Mrs. J. H. Cypher, Mrs. W. B. Downs, Mrs. W. H. McMinn, and Mrs. George Stouffer.

The weekly meeting of the Business Women's Christian association was held last night in Odd Fellows' Temple. At the conclusion of the Bible study the business women adjourned to the high school where the gym class received instructions. The class has quite a large enrollment.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Bortz of Pittsburg, formerly of Rockwood, announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Ruth Anna Bortz, to Lieutenant Burton P. Short, solemnized Tuesday evening in the Emery church, East End, Pittsburg. Miss Elizabeth Walter of Rockwood, was a bridesmaid. The bride's father was at one time agent for the Baltimore & Ohio railroad in Rockwood.

Attractive Valentine appointments prevailed at a dinner given last evening by Miss Mary Friel at her home at Leisenring No. 1. Covers for eight were laid. The table was centered with a cut glass basket of red carnations, showered with small hearts, and caught with a large bow of pale green maline.

The Nouzea club was pleasantly entertained last evening by Miss Margaret Richter at her home in Madison avenue. Various amusements were indulged in and a most enjoyable time was had. Refreshments were served. The hostess had as her guests Misses Irene Davis, Sylvia Sullivan, Margaret Krush and Elizabeth Kiferle.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank R. Graham entertained the South Side Euchre club last evening at their home in Chestnut street. Three tables were called into play and following the games luncheon was served. Mrs. Eugene T. Norton was awarded the club prize. Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McGinnis will entertain the club Thursday evening, February 20, at their home in East Washington avenue.

A delightful musical program featuring patriotic selections, to be presented at the third annual Valentine party to be held tomorrow night in Odd Fellows' Temple by the Woman's Guild of the Trinity Episcopal church, has been planned by Mrs. C. E. Stout. The following will participate: Miss Mildred Miller, Miss Loreen Struble, Miss Sarah Davis, Miss Catherine Davis, Herbert Pratt, John Davis, Mr. and Mrs. William Griffiths. Other features of the program will be the Edison Re-creation, in charge of L. W. Brown, selections by an orchestra and readings. Elaborate arrangements have been made for the party and a most delightful evening is assured all who atten.

Mrs. Charles C. Mitchell was hostess at the regular meeting of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary societies of the Trinity Lutheran church yesterday afternoon at her home in East Green street. Mrs. D. W. Durie led the devotional exercises and the lesson for study, the third chapter of the book, "The Path of Labor," was led by Mrs. E. B. Zimmerman and Mrs. Edward Baer. Two new members, Mrs. Clara Bufano and Mrs. Karl Keck, were received. Refreshments were served by a committee composed of Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. E. R. Kooser, Mrs. Emil Gebhart and Mrs. Adam Kaul.

Miss Mary Lou Coughenour entertained the S. T. D. club last evening at her home on the Narrows. The amusements were music by Miss Mabel Stillwagon, fancywork and knitting. Dainty refreshments were served.

Mrs. J. Melvin Grey presided over the business meeting at the regular meeting of the C. W. B. M. auxiliary of the Christian church held yesterday afternoon in the church. The topic for study was "Women Wage Earners of the Orient." Mrs. George Blackstone was leader. Mrs. W. W. Kern read the story of "A Coolie Woman of India." "Women Workers of Japan" was the subject of a paper read by Mrs. R. E. Porter. Mrs. George Blackstone gave some interesting facts for busy women. The next period was taken up by the reading of a clipping on "Chinese Rejection of Confucianism," by Miss Ella Hyatt. A piano solo by Mrs. W. W. Kern was well received. The next meeting will be held Thursday afternoon, March 6, in the church.

Rev. J. Manderville Barker of Uniontown, who recently returned from France, will sing at the third annual Valentine party of the Woman's Guild of the Trinity Episcopal church to be held tomorrow night in Odd Fellows' Temple. A number of relics brought overseas by Rev. Barker will be exhibited on the third floor. No admittance will be charged and all returned soldiers are especially invited.

A steadying effect is produced on energy of brain and body and the general health by a consistent daily use of

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Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

PERSONAL

E. J. Beeghley of Bellwood, has returned home after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Beeghley of McCormick avenue.

Mrs. Joseph Rosenbaum, and Mrs. William Baum of Uniontown, heard Dr. Allen Potter's lecture on "Social Hygiene," Wednesday afternoon at the Carnegie Free library.

The best place to shop after all. Brownell Shoe Company.—Adv.

Mrs. Andy Grace of Markleysburg is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Beeghley of McCormick avenue.

A. Harbinger of New York City, was in the city yesterday on business.

Calvin Stickle, of Seattle, Washington, visited friends here yesterday.

See Theda Bara in "Cleopatra," at the Soisson theatre, Monday and Tuesday.—Adv.—7-3t.

H. W. Crosby of Donora, was here on business yesterday.

Dr. H. D. Barnes, of Pittsburg, was in the city yesterday on business.

W. P. Schmid of Pittsburg was visiting friends in the city yesterday.

F. E. Everett of Pittsburg, was in the city yesterday on business.

For the best and cheapest repairs on that roof, conductor or spouting, see F. T. Evans Estate.—Adv.

Mrs. Charles Chalfant of Perrypolis was a Connellsville visitor today.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy McGibbons of Uniontown, were in town yesterday on their way east.

Mrs. T. B. Chitester has returned home after visiting with her sister in Pittsburg.

Mrs. Charles McGoogan and son, Billy, of Mount Pleasant, are the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Coughenour of the Narrows.

PRESENTED WITH CABINET

American Manganese Company Donor of Fine Gift to High School.

Special to The Courier.

PECHIN, Feb. 7.—The American Manganese Manufacturing company yesterday presented an elaborate and valuable cabinet of all the products of the company to the commercial department of the Dunbar township high school at Leisenring. The cabinet contains specimens of all the ores entering into the manufacture of all kinds of iron and manganese, and samples of the irons and manganese made at the furnaces. The cabinet also contains samples of all the products of the by-product or Semet-Solvay ovens, all the by-products of the coal tar condensed from the smoke, showing first the crude coal tar, then the ammonia and each of the almost 100 resultant drugs, pigments, etc.

There are also specimens of the coal from the several mines of the company from which the coal tar and coke are made. Specimens of slag are given and its various uses designated. The cabinet is highly prized by the school. In addition to the interest manifested in the manufacturing process, the cabinet will be highly valuable in the study of commercial geography.

FOR FEEBLE OLD PEOPLE

John Devitt Recommends Vinol to Create Strength and Vitality.

Marlton, N. J.—"I am 69 years of age and after a severe sickness, was in a weak, run-down condition. Vinol has built me up and made me strong, so now I feel real well again, and I can recommend it to others for such conditions."—John M. Devitt.

The reason Vinol was so successful in Mr. Devitt's case is because it contains beef and cod liver peptones, iron and manganese peptonates and glycerophosphates, the very elements needed to build up a weakened, run-down system, make rich, red blood and create strength. It is perfectly wonderful what it does for old people.

Laughrey Drug Co., Connellsville, D. C. Eason, Dunbar, and Druggists everywhere.

P. S.—For any skin trouble try our Saxol Salve. Money back if it fails.—Adv.

MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT

Popular Concert Company Will be at High School Tonight.

The last musical number on the high school entertainment course will be given at the auditorium tonight when "The Musical Guardsmen," popularly known as "a singing orchestra," will be the attraction. The "Guardsmen" company has met with unusual success this season and comes here with a reputation of being able to render musical programs which are delightful to a mixed audience.

The company is composed of six persons, three men and three women. Previously it had been made up of men only. Different musical instruments are used in its program, and popular songs are also given. The last number on the entertainment course will be a lecture on March 14 by Rev. Samuel Parkes Cadman, D. D.

Buying Spring Goods.

A. J. Kobacker, J. M. Kobacker, Mrs. Mary Weaver and Miss Rose Crobaugh are in New York buying spring and summer goods for the Kobacker stores in Connellsville, Greensburg and Mount Pleasant.

The Grim Reaper

ALTHEUS CLAWSON.

Altheus Clawson, aged 83 years, seven months and 21 days, died at his home in Smithfield Thursday morning of diseases incident to age. He is survived by two children, J. C. Clawson and Mrs. Jennie Snell, and one sister, Mrs. Lyde Strathers. Funeral services will be held at his late home on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. Ralph Bell officiating. Interment will be in the Baptist cemetery of Smithfield.

MRS. MARY MASON.

Mrs. Mary Mason, a well known resident of Connellsville, died this morning at 11 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Wadsworth, at the Mud school house, Bullskin township.

MISS ROSE B. KERNS.

Miss Rose Belle Kerns, 20 years old, daughter of Robert and Florence Jenkins Kerns, died Wednesday at her home at Herminie No. 2. Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence with interment in the Union cemetery at Irwin. The Kerns family is known in Connellsville.

CHARLES JAMES BURLEY, JR.

Charles James Burley, Jr., two years old, son of Charles James and Myrtle Calhoun Burley, died at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. A. M. Burley in Philadelphia. The interment was made in Holy Cross cemetery. The child's mother has returned to her father's home at Everson after attending the funeral.

HOLD LAST PRACTICE

Local Basketeers are Now Ready to Win from Braddock.

The high school basketball team held its last practice tonight in preparation for the game to be played tomorrow at the gymnasium with the undefeated Braddock aggregation. No efforts have been spared to get the team into shape for the contest tomorrow night which will be one of undiminished hard playing from beginning to end.

Connellsville is prepared to stand a gruelling game and is determined to break the winning streak of the Braddock tossers. Braddock is leading the second section of the W. P. I. H. A. League and by winning tomorrow night the locals will go into second place.

SERGEANT FAGAN HOME ON FURLOUGH.

Sergeant Leo S. Fagan, who is with the Quartermaster's Department at Camp Sherman, is spending a brief furlough with his mother, Mrs. Katharine Fagan, who has been ill at her home in Crawford avenue, West Side.

Card of Thanks.

I wish to express my sincere thanks for the sympathy, help and kindness of the many friends during the sickness and death of my beloved husband. I thank those who expressed their sympathy by sending flowers. I thank the Knights of Pythias. I thank especially the minister, Rev. G. L. C. Richardson and choir. They will always have my everlasting gratitude. Mrs. Charles H. Bishop.—Adv.

Girl at Haas Home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Haas of 1322 South Pittsburg street are the proud parents of a daughter, the first in the family. The other child is a boy. Mrs. Haas was formerly Miss Elizabeth Auer.

Fifth Son Born.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Filburn of Jefferson street are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son. The family is now composed of five sons and two daughters.

Announcement.

The New York Studio, 205 North Pittsburg street, will be closed until February 10th for remodeling for more up-to-date photography. Louis Scolnick, proprietor.—Adv.—6-3t.

MORE LIVES LOST THROUGH NEGLECT

This Can Be Avoided by Taking Morse's LAXA-PIRIN for Colds, LaGrippe and Headache.

The only LAXATIVE and ASPIRIN Cold, LaGrippe and Headache Remedy on the market.

Stops Colds in a few hours, Headache in a few minutes, LaGrippe in one day. Does not cause ringing or roaring in the head like Quinine. For sale by

WOMAN FOUND DEAD

Miss Cynthia Reed Believed to Have Suffered a Stroke.

Miss Cynthia E. Reed, one of the best-known residents of Perrypolis and well known in Connellsville, was found dead in her home Thursday evening. Miss Reed lived alone and on Wednesday night attended prayer meeting. She had complained of a pain in her head and neighbors, not seeing her about all day yesterday, became alarmed and when C. T. Davidson gained an entrance to her home by prying open one of the windows he found her on the floor dead. The supposition is that she suffered a stroke of apoplexy early yesterday morning.

The deceased was born in Franklin township, near Flatwoods, a daughter of the late John and Elizabeth Reed. She had resided in Perrypolis for about 18 years and was active in church work. All her life she had been a member of the Redstone Presbyterian church. Miss Reed frequently visited in Connellsville. She is survived by the following brothers and sisters: John and Frank Reed, Brownsville; James Reed, Vanderbilt; Mrs. Emma Fuller and Mrs. Elizabeth Lewis, Upper Middletown, and Mrs. Etta Vandervort of Fernanda, Cal.

CREAM FOR CATARRH OPENS UP NOSTRILS

Tells How To Get Quick Relief from Head-Colds. It's Splendid!

In one minute your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking snuffling, blowing, headache, dryness. No struggling for breath at night, your cold or catarrh will be gone.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic, healing cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothes the inflamed or swollen mucous membrane and relief comes instantly.

It's just fine. Don't stay stuffed-up with a cold or nasty catarrh—Relief comes so quickly.—Adv.

VISIT PECHIN SCHOOLS

"Tom" Kennedy and Rev. Wilson Deliver Addresses to Students.

PECHIN, Feb. 7.—W. T. Kennedy, the well known Civil War veteran of Uniontown, accompanied by Rev. J. W. Wilson of Dunbar yesterday visited Pechin school and both gave interesting addresses to the pupils. For many years Mr. Kennedy was a public school teacher, and he has been a permanent fixture of the teachers' county institute for almost half a century. In fact it would be difficult to hold a county institute without "Tom" Kennedy in the box.

While growing older in years and greyer in appearance, his heart retains its youth and a youth that is never without its charm alike for young and old.

A GROWING BANK.

Prosperity Indicated by Growth of Connellsville Bank.

When the Call for sworn Statements by the Officers of National Banks comes, it usually finds The Citizens National Bank of Connellsville showing a substantial growth. Growth is a sign of bank strength. It also shows that the customers of the Bank are satisfied with the service and safety afforded by the Bank. Open an Account with this Growing National Bank. 138 Pittsburg St.—Adv.

Dance.

Will be held tonight, February 7, at the Liederkranz hall, East Fairview avenue. Hours 8 to 12. Music by Kiferle's orchestra.—Adv.—7-1t.

Patronize those who advertise.

KEMP'S BALSAM for Coughs and Sore Throat

GUARANTEED

Special Sale of Fur Trimmed Coats
Values $65.00 and $75.00

30 of the highest class Coats ever shown in this city will be put on sale today and tomorrow. They include Silvertones, Velours, Plushes, and all the highest class materials, and are trimmed with Hudson Seal, Beaver and Jap Kolinsky.

Extra special for today and tomorrow $25

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HIGHEST TYPE MASK

Is That Developed for Use of American Army, Expert Says.

Discussions on "The Safety Lamp" and "The Gas Mask" featured the ninth quarterly dinner of the first aid corps of the Oliver & Snyder Steel company last evening at the Hotel Titlow, Uniontown. Mine Inspector Richard Maize spoke on the development of the safety lamp and its present high efficiency. The gas mask used by Americans in France was pronounced by Captain G. H. Burrell of the Chemical War Service Bureau as the highest type developed and a perfect protection as German gases.

Superintendent J. H. Lane of the Oliver & Snyder company told how the company is at all times seeking to protect the lives of its employes. Clyde Brehm, John Moore, Frank Lowkota and Charles Grimm composed the committee in charge.

License to Wed.

Enos F. King of Scottdale and Blanche O. Reagan of Pittsburg were granted a marriage license in Pittsburg yesterday.

DILL'S Balm of Life

(For Internal and External Use)

Is the one remedy that should always be on the home medicine shelf. Invaluable when used externally for

Neuralgia, Soreness Sprains, Rheumatism

An emergency remedy that you can obtain now at your druggist or dealer in medicine. Use internally at once according to directions that come with the bottle for indigestion and internal pains. Use as a liniment for rheumatism, soreness, etc., and notice its quick effects.

Prepared by The Dill Co., Norristown, Pa. Also manufacturers of three tried, reliable

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Ask your druggist or dealer in medicine

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The home of the best pictures for the best people in Connellsville's best photoplay house.

—Today and Tomorrow—

It's a Goldyn picture. See MAE MARSH in

"Hidden Fires"

The story of how a girl lives a lie to save a life. In which wrong becomes joyous right.

Also a goo comedy.

COMING:—"The Great Victory" or "Wilson, or the Kaiser."

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The Theatre of Wonder and Beauty with the best pictures for the people who love real dramas.

—Today and Tomorrow—

JOHN MASON in

"Moral Suicide"

ALSO A GOOD COMEDY WILL BE SHOWN.

NEWSY NOTES TELL WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE MILL TOWN

Baptist Missionary Society Meets in Monthly Session.

U. B. REVIVAL IN FULL SWING

Rev. Paul F. Mickey, Everson, is Being Assisted by C. E. Householder, Altoona Singer; Miss Virginia Byrne Entertains Entre Nous Club.

(To the public:—Items for the Scottdale column of The Courier or of interest generally may be left at Rutherford's News Stand, Pittsburg street. They will receive prompt attention. They must be written and should be carefully prepared, using one side of the paper only, in order to insure correct publication. Especial care should be used with proper names. Do not use the telephone in communicating with this agency. Write it. All communications must be signed.)

Special to The Courier.

SCOTTDALE, Feb. 7.—The First Baptist Missionary society held its regular monthly meeting. Those who took part on the program were Mrs. C. E. Auld, Mrs. W. W. Eicher, Miss Maude Ober and Miss Jane Herbert. Following the program and business session refreshments were served by a committee on which was Mesdames Sumner, Martz and Rath.

Miss Byrne Hostess.

Miss Virginia Byrne entertained the Entre Nous club at her Everson home last evening. Cards were the feature of the evening. Refreshments were served.

For Sale.

10-room double house, rents for $30, for $3,000.

8-room double house, rents for $20, for $2,100.

5-room house on paved street, lot 40x110 feet, for $2,200. E. F. DeWitt.—Adv.—5-5t.

Revival at Everson.

Revival meetings are going on each evening, except Saturday, at the United Brethren church at Everson, with Rev. Paul F. Mickey, the pastor, in charge. The program for Sunday is as follows: Sunday school, 9.30; morning message, at 10.30; subject, "Running to Attain;" special services at 2.30 for everybody; subject, "Great Is Diana, or America's Sin;" Junior and Senior Christian Endeavor at 6.30; evangelistic services, 7.30; subject, "Our Lord's Return." Special music will be heard at each service by a large chorus under the direction of C. E. Householder of Altoona. Everybody is invited to these services.

Wanted.

Automobile painting, first class work. Alvy T. May, 220 Everson avenue, Scottdale, Pa.—Adv.—4-5t.

Coal Company Sells.

The Newcomer Coal & Coke company has disposed of the last of its properties in Prittstown. It has sold to Thomas Mardis the G. W. Pritts place and the vacant lot adjoining who expects to take charge and move there in the spring.

Prices Drop to the Bottom.

Never before have we been forced to make such drastic price sacrifices, but we must unload our immense stocks this month. Now is the right time to buy good furs, coats, suits, skirts and dresses for next season. You will save more than half in some instances. Every winter garment must be sold. Prices are now lower than at any time before the war. If you want a bargain that will astonish you and be the source of amusement to your friends when you show it, come in now and see them at Bendiner's Broadway store, as you get off the car, Scottdale.—Adv.

Good Vaudeville Show.

One of the best vaudeville bills of the season is promised for the Scottdale theatre on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week. The bill includes Dave Newman's "Tabarin Girls" in tabloid musical comedies, with extra vaudeville acts and motion pictures thrown in for good measure.

Personal.

Mrs. J. H. Altman of North Broadway has been called to McKeesport on account of the illness of her sister, Mrs. Harry Shiffler.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kittell and family of Uniontown spent yesterday with friends here.

Miss Hazel Murphy left yesterday for Canada where she will pay her sister a visit.

Kelsey Webb spent yesterday in Greensburg.

Mrs. J. W. Moody of Dormont is here visiting friends.

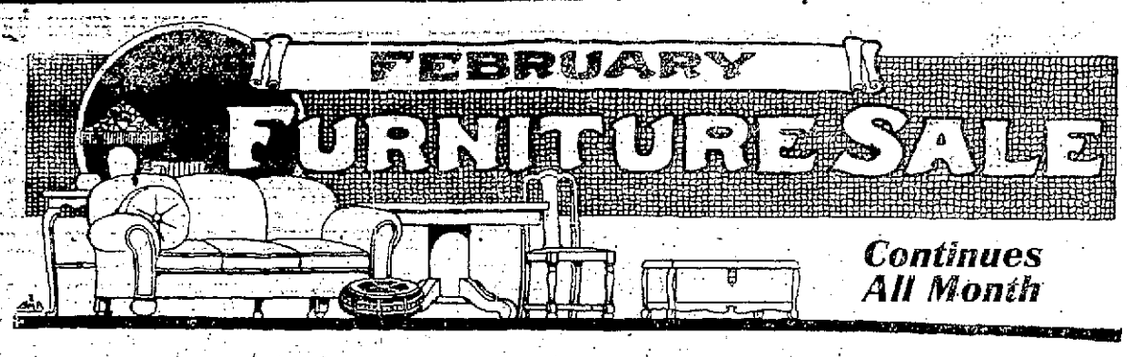
1,500,000 FRENCH KILLED

An Atlantic Port—France in four years of conflict to preserve her own liberty and that of the world, according to Andre Tardie, French high commissioner to the United States, has lost 1,500,000 men killed and as many wounded. America owes France an enormous debt of gratitude for this heroic outpouring of her life's blood and also for the reported saving of thousands of lives in this country and throughout the world through the discovery by French peasants of a perfect remedy for stomach, liver and intestinal ailments which, it is said, has relieved incalculable suffering and prevented thousands of surgical operations. Geo. H. Mayr, prominent Chicago chemist, imports the ingredients and sells this remedy in America under the name of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucous from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. A. A. Clarke and druggists everywhere.—Adv.

Read The Daily Courier.

Early Shopping Is Most Desirable

You will find that by arranging to do your shopping as early in the day as possible that you can make your selections with the greatest possible ease and deliberation. Try it and you'll be convinced.



Goods Held For Future Delivery

Any selections made during this February Sale will be held for later delivery, if desired. To those planning to go to housekeeping in the near future, this feature offers a great opportunity to save.

This Great Sale is Growing Bigger Every Day!

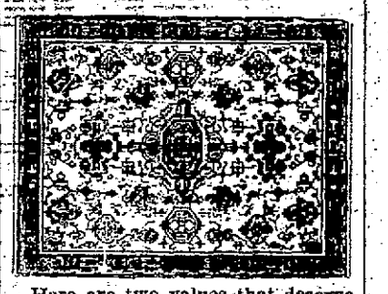
The good news is spreading fast! People are telling their friends and neighbors of the great savings that now prevail at Aaron's—that's why each succeeding day of this great February Sale finds us as busy or busier than the day before.

During this Sale you can buy such famous, nationally known lines as Pullman Bed Davenports, Kroehler Davenports, Karpen Living Room Furniture, Sligh Bedroom Furniture, Whittall Rugs, Wild's Linoleums, New Process Gas Ranges and many others—at ADDITIONAL 10% to 35% savings. That's why people are crowding this Store every day.

Connellsville's Reliable
AARON'S
Homefurnishers Since 1891.

The immense varieties, styles and designs you have to choose from—the high quality of the merchandise offered—the low prices that prevail—the "satisfaction guarantee" that goes with every article—those are just a few reasons why you too should take advantage of this opportunity. Convenient payment terms gladly arranged, if desired.

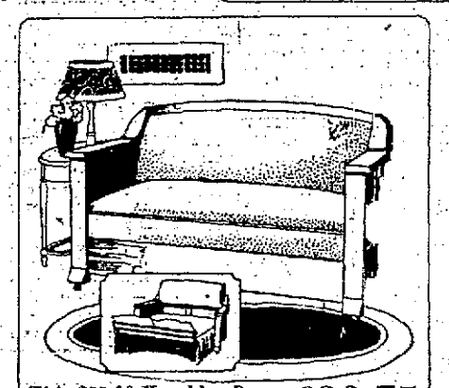
All Rugs, Carpets and Linoleums at Reduced Prices!



Here are two values that deserve your special attention—

$55.00 9x12 Seamless Axminster Rug now ... $42.50

$100.00 9x12 Worsted Royal Wilton Rug now ... $67.50



This $55.00 Kroehler Davenport, Sale Price ... $39.75

Made of genuine quarter-sawed oak. Upholstered in a good grade of imitation leather. Can be very quickly converted into a full-size bed as shown.

Reductions of 10% to 20% On All Baby Carriages, Strollers and Go-Carts!

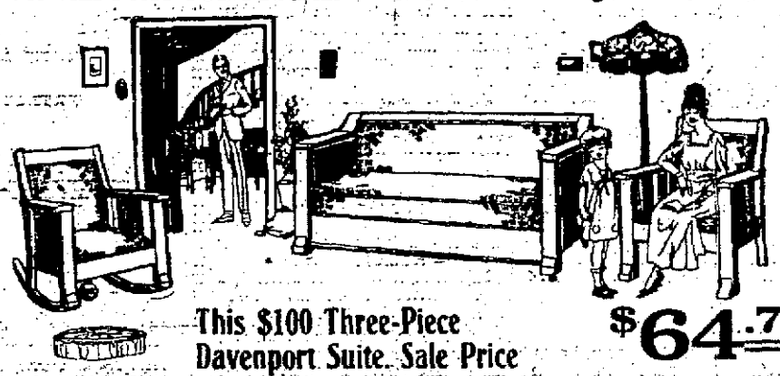
That makes this an ideal time to get Baby a new carriage so that you can take advantage of every warm, sun-shiny day that comes.

Just One of the Many Iron Bed Specials!

This $12.50 Iron Bed February Sale Price ... $9.75

Finished in a beautiful white enamel which is baked on giving it the appearance of porcelain. Massive in appearance.

At This Price You Too Can Afford a New Living Room Suite!



This $100 Three-Piece Davenport Suite. Sale Price ... $64.75

Consists of Davenport, Rocker and Chair—three massive pieces—just as pictured. Upholstering is in the best grade of imitation leather. The spring construction in this suite gives it every conceivable comfort. When you buy a suite of this kind you have practically two rooms in one—a very attractive living Room and a Bedroom.

This $135 Complete Three-Piece Living Room Suite. February Sale Price ... $95.00

Here is a suite that is well built in every detail—that will give a life-time of satisfactory service. The upholstering is in high grade imitation leather over a heavy coil spring construction. At the February Sale Price it's a very special value.

A Distinctive Bedroom Suite That Will Give Life-Long Service!

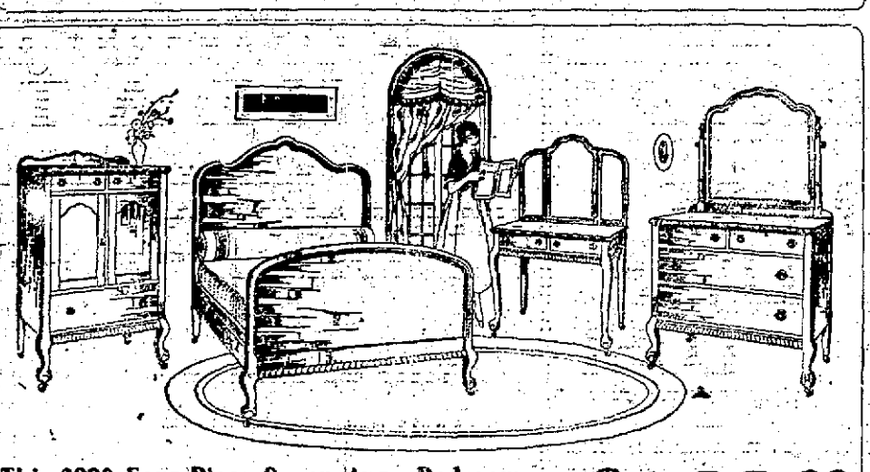
Just as Pictured

This $175 Complete Four-Piece Mahogany Bedroom Suite. February Sale Price ... $115.50

Here is a Suite, though very dainty in appearance, that is of the very best construction and workmanship. Made of well-seasoned materials, every piece in this suite will give the kind of service you expect. And at this low price its a very large value.

This $275 Complete Ten-Piece Queen Anne Dining Room Suite. February Sale Price ... $195.00

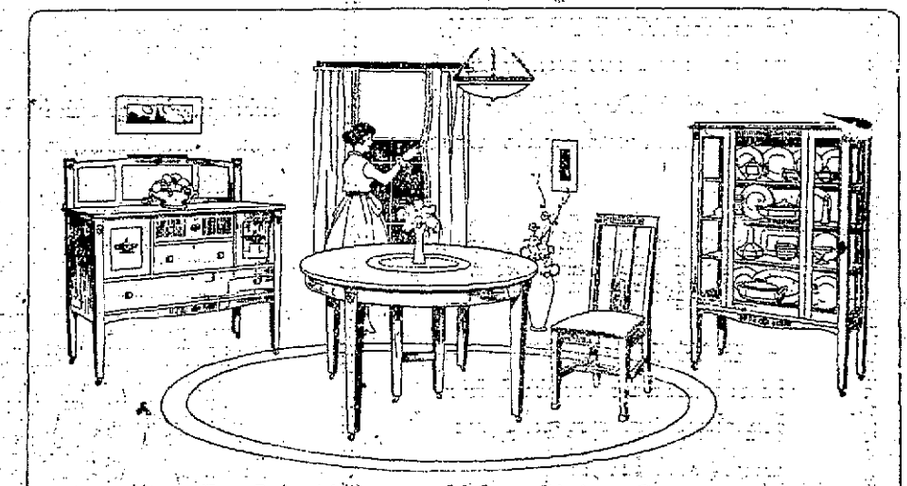
Consists of Extension Table, Buffet, China Cabinet, Serving Table, Arm Chair and five chairs—ten pieces in all. This suite is made of genuine American Walnut and every piece is expertly fashioned. This Suite is one of the big features of the sale—and you cannot afford to pass by this opportunity if you need a new Dining Room Suite.



This $220 Four-Piece Queen Anne Bedroom Suite in Mahogany, February Sale Price ... $162.00

This $62.50 large Bureau	$45.00	This $57.50 large Chiffonette	$42.50
This $57.50 Bed (full size)	$42.50	This $42.50 Toilet Table	$32.00

All four pieces as pictured. While this is one of the most artistic reproductions from this very popular period; yet its construction is of the best, and it is very substantially built. A genuine bargain at this price.



This $225.00 Ten-Piece American Walnut Dining Room Suite, Adam Design, February Sale Price ... $159.50

Consists of Buffet, China Cabinet, Serving Table, Arm Chair and five Chairs. The Adam design lends itself particularly well to dining room Furniture and this suite is a splendid example of this particular period. At this February Sale price it represents the acme of value-giving.

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AS UNSPARING IN CARE AS THEY WERE UNSELFISH IN SERVICE.

If, as the authors of letters recently published in The Courier assert, conditions in the billets of units of the 30th Division in France are as described—and we have no reason to believe otherwise from the statements made and the character of the men making them—there is urgent need that something be done to remedy them.

If preparations to care for the men returning from the fighting fronts to the rest areas in France have been inadequate; if the men are insufficiently supplied with food; are lacking necessary changes of clothing and foot-wear, and without ordinary comforts in their quarters, the quartermasters department of the Army, either here or abroad, has failed to meet the situation. In such case there should not be much trouble locating the fault and correcting it without delay.

Again, if men are being detailed to menial tasks which are ordinarily performed by prisoners, and are subjected to the petty tyranny of officers who are disqualified by inexperience and lack of judgment to be placed in charge of men, those higher in command are not in close touch with matters under their immediate control and jurisdiction, or are blindly indifferent to them. This, too is a condition capable of being altered very quickly.

Without forgetting that it was a responsibility of the War Department to make every provision against such contingencies, some allowance should be made by both the soldiers and their friends for the changes the sudden, but not unexpected, ending of the war brought about. In their preparation for and active participation in the fighting the soldiers did not notice the absence of the ordinary comforts of life, or have as great need for them, as they do now in the rest areas. The campaigns were waged during the summer and early fall weather which is vastly different from the wet, sloppy days of winter, hence the greater severity and more disagreeable character of the latter accentuate every little inconvenience that may arise. Moreover, the men feel that the job they went to France to perform has been finished, and their desire, and also their right, is to come home as soon as possible. Naturally they chafe at delay in their departure and are disposed to complain of matters and things to which they would not have given a second thought several months ago.

With respect to things and conditions that cannot be remedied or are the fault of no one in particular, the average American soldier may grumble a great deal, but he endures patiently. When he is subjected to unnecessary or easily removed hardships, or deprived of those things to which he is entitled, and procurable when those responsible do their duty, he has the right to complain and does not become a "knocker" or a "heefer" in so doing.

Among soldiers themselves there is difference of opinion as to the propriety of making complaints, even in the most aggravated cases, although this is a privilege of the humblest private in the ranks as well of the officers above him. Some soldiers prefer to make no complaint, considering it more soldierlike to grin and bear whatever inconvenience, discomfort or hardship may be imposed by the service. That, however, is a question for each soldier to settle for himself. In the cases under consideration complaints have been made, not in the nature of "knocks," but as straight-forward statements of facts of which the complainants have personal knowledge.

Inasmuch as these complaints show remissness in an important department of the Army, they cannot be dismissed from public notice merely at the behest of sycophantic Administration worshippers, who in their own jaundiced and biased judgment declare protestants against the shortcomings of official Washington to be "yellow," "disloyal" or "pro-German;" because, forsooth, they tell the truth.

The parrot-like use of these terms has so frequently been the only answer that could be made when abuses and blunders in the conduct of the war have been pointed out, they have long since lost their significance and force as epithets of opprobrium, which it was intended they should be considered when applied to all those daring souls who have had the hardihood to lift their voice for purposes other than the mere praise and adulation of the sacrosanct and infallible War Department.

But the prevalence of the belief that the War Department can do no wrong does not stop that organization, if as efficient as we are asked to believe, from providing for the present greater needs of the men who have sacrificed and suffered for our country. In fact, the obligation is all the heavier to meet the present conditions so promptly and amply that the boys may know that a grateful nation can be as unsparing in its care of them as they were unselfish in their service for it.

No doubt our contemporary, equally with other daily echoes of the Democratic Administration, would be glad to have us turn over to the tender mercies of the War Department the names of the two soldiers whose letters were published in The Courier some days ago, so that, as in the case of National Guard officers, another order may be issued to "get them, or we will get you."

Now that "the world has been made safe for Democracy" certain Democrats manifest much less fondness for and interest in the boys who did the making—especially if they evince any desire or inclination to utter a whisper of criticism of the conduct of the war or the care of the men since the signing of the armistice.

The street car rate protestants might have taken a hint from the Public Service Commission in the matter of stopping an advance. When Political General Burleson attempted to put his new schedule of telephone rates over on the people of Pennsylvania the Public Service Commission promptly got busy and secured a restraining order from the Dauphin county court. There was nothing, save a disinclination to get busy, to have prevented the street car rate fighters doing the same thing.

The Legislature is apt to make rather close study of the dictionary at the present session than usual, an exact definition of several terms being required.

Developments in the Northwest indicate that we will have a close range opportunity to study Bolshevism and its methods.

While reviewing the reasons for the final defeat of the Huns the military critics should not overlook the fact that of the 1,435,000 rifles on the Allied front on November 1, over one-third of them were in the hands of Americans who knew how to shoot. The Huns learned this even if the critics have not.

Rippling Rhymes

By Walt Mason.

NONE PERFECT.

No man is perfect 'neath the sky; there is a flaw in every guy. We could not long endure the man constructed on so rare a plan that all our searching would not find a blemish in his heart or mind. This most astonishing of gents would make us look like fourteen cents. Since you have blemishes to burn, why roast your neighbor to a turn? Why jump on Jinks for swiping coal, if you have pinched an orphan's roll? While you roast neighbors one or two, be sure that some one's roasting you. I have a lot of loathsome faults; my gall is fierce, my conscience halts; sometimes I drop my lyre and pen, to take a sack and steal a hen. I talk too much and bore my friends; my list of failings never ends. And you are roasting me, I known, as you go waddling to and fro, and pointing out the things I lack to make me like a winner stack. My faults, I know, defy all cures, but they are smoother faults than yours. I wouldn't swap, you poor galoot, unless you gave your watch to boot. While you are roasting me it's true that I am busy roasting you, and neither one has any right to roast the other misfit wight. That man who has no fault or flaw alone has right to ply his jaw.

Just Folks

Edgar A. Guest.

WHAT ELSE TO TEACH THE BOY.

What else to teach the boy who holds
your hand
And looks to you with trusting in
his eyes—
You, who to him are wisest of the
wise—
Than first to love and serve his native land;
To cling to honor always and to stand
Above the lure of any golden prize;
To choose to lose than win by
cheats and lies;
To build his fame on rock and not
on sand;
To fight a fair fight bravely, but to be
Content when he has done the best
he can;
To keep his spirit fit for God to see,
As true and white as when the
joust began;
If strength shall fail, to miss the victory
But from the field to come no less
a man?

STATE CANNOT MINE

Coal Underlying Properties Owned by It; No Act of Assembly Permits.

In a case involving the right of the Slippery Rock Normal school which is owned by the state to mine its own coal, Deputy Attorney General Myers has rendered an opinion that such an institution cannot engage in such an enterprise.

"Ordinarily, the commonwealth can engage in any business or do anything not expressly forbidden or prohibited by the constitution and the mining and selling of coal is not prohibited by the constitution," says the opinion. "It cannot, however, engage in this business or delegate its powers to any agency except by act of assembly passed giving the trustees of state owned normal schools the right to engage in the business of mining and selling coal or any act giving the commonwealth of Pennsylvania through any agency whatever the right to engage in the mining and selling of coal, the trustees of the normal school have no such power."

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER.

Will be Tendered Wooddale Couple Saturday Evening.

A miscellaneous shower will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brothers of Wooddale on Saturday evening, February 8, in honor of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Rice, who were recently married. Quite a number of invitations have been sent out by the family.

Mrs. Rice was formerly Miss Sarah Brothers of the Cross Roads and is a very popular young lady. They have the best wishes of a host of their friends for the future.

If You Want Something Advertise for it in our classified column. One cent [illegible]

GUESS WHO?

Roosevelt's Mourning Typical of Millions

From Manufacturers Record.

The intensely human side of Colonel Roosevelt's life is indicated in a letter received by the editor of the Manufacturers Record from a friend, who, writing about Colonel Roosevelt's death, said:

"Did you read where the Colonel had been found lately in the stable with Quentin's pony, which is 20 years old? It is the pony that climbed to the second story of the White House when Quentin was a child. The Colonel was found shortly after he heard of the death of his boy in France with his arms around the pony's neck, crying."

In this little story is seen a touch of one side of Colonel Roosevelt's life of which the public rarely heard much. Here is the iron-nerved fighter melted into the tender-hearted father as around the neck of Quentin's boyhood pony he throws his arms and weeps in silence that in the great call of civilization his boy had had to make the supreme sacrifice.

As our hearts are melted at the thought of Roosevelt weeping for his boy, let us remember that millions and millions of fathers and mothers, wives and others have had to weep because their loved ones had had to suffer and die because of the accursed work of Germany which for half a century planned wholesale murder that it might loot and lust to its heart's content.

Roosevelt, as he threw his arms around the neck of Quentin's pony and wept for his boy, typified the mighty woe of hundreds of millions who for four years lived in the agony of fear and of tens of millions whose dear ones never came back and who unto the grave will carry the burden of their sorrow.

Perhaps even Roosevelt's heart broke beneath the strain as millions of other hearts have broken.

The unrepentant criminals who gloried in the death and sorrow they wrought, who defiled war as a noble and holy thing, in which they gloried, who for years preached war and upheld the doctrine of frightfulness, now whiningly, like the bullies and cowards and brutish beasts they are, demand peace without punishment and demand acceptance back into the world's friendship.

Hell itself could never surpass the atrocities of these fiends, nor equal their effrontery.

Surely Heaven, which teaches that the wicked shall perish; that the nation which forgets God shall be turned into Hell; that for the unrepentant sinner there is no forgiveness, must be astounded at the moral flabbiness, the moral degeneracy of every man or woman who seeks to save Germany and the whole German people from the penalty of their crimes—crimes gloated in by the whole nation and never repented of.

Hell must laugh and Heaven mourn at such false teachings.

Classified Advertisements

Wanted.

WANTED — YOUR BARBERING business. RENDINER. tf

WANTED—WHEN YOU WANT INsurance phone 740. 5oct-tfd

WANTED—TWO CHAMBERMAIDS for the SMITH HOUSE. 7feb3t

WANTED—WHITE WASH WOMan. Apply 291 East Fairview avenue. 6feb3t*

WANTED—TWO CHAMBERMAIDS. Inquire at the BALTIMORE HOUSE. 7feb3t

WANTED—TWO KITCHEN GIRLS at ARLINGTON HOTEL. Apply in person. 5feb3t

WANTED—TO BUY A SECOND hand typewriter desk. Inquire at Courier office. 10jantf

WANTED — A MAN TO CROP A farm on shares at Normalville. Write "FARM," care Courier. 7feb6t*

WANTED—YOUNG MEN AND WOMen with dramatic ability. Write "DRAMA," Care Courier. 6feb3t

WANTED—AUTOMOBILE PAINTing. First class work. ALVY T. MAY, Everson Ave., Scottdale, Pa. 4feb5t

WANTED—SEVERAL CARPENTERS for inside work repairing cars; steady work. 9 hour day. Apply WEST PENN RAILWAYS CO. 1feb5t

WANTED—SALESMAN AND COLlector. Apply between 7 o'clock and 8 o'clock P. M. 109 East Crawford avenue. 6feb3t

WANTED—MIDDLE AGED RELIAble woman as housekeeper for family of three. Must have good reference. Apply 401 East Green street. 5feb5t

WANTED—MIDDLE AGED LADY for housekeeper. Must have good reference. $7.00 per week. FRED RITCHIE, Box 68, Everson, Pa. 1feb5t*

WANTED—SALESLADY, WHO HAS had experience in notion department of department store. Reference required with application. State salary desired. Address "O," care Courier. 6feb3t

Wanted.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED SALESlady for domestic department in dry goods store. Send reference with application and state salary expected. Address "M," care Courier. 6feb3t

WANTED — GOVERNMENT WILL hold railway mail clerk examinations, Pennsylvania, March 15. $92 month. Experience unnecessary. Men, 18 or over, desiring clerkships write for free particulars, RAYMOND TERRY, (former Civil Service examiner), Continental Building, Washington. 7feb3t

For Rent.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS. 107 Fairview avenue. 1feb7t*

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOM and meals. 704 Chestnut street, near Armory. 7feb1t

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOM. Inquire 116 South Prospect street. 7feb2t*

FOR RENT—TWO FURNISHED rooms for gentleman. 115 South Sixth street. 7feb1t

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOM, with all conveniences, for gentleman. 118 South Sixth street. 7feb2t*

FOR RENT—LARGE FURNISHED room. Gentleman preferred. Inquire 605 South Pittsburg street. 6feb3t

FOR RENT—TWO HOUSES ONE mile south of Connellsville; east of the Pennsylvania railroad. Will be repaired. There is a parcel of land goes with each house. No. 300 South First street, West Side. T. F. WHITE, Agent. 6feb3t-eod

For Sale.

FOR SALE—ADVERTISING SPACE in this paper. Ask for rates.

FOR SALE—TWO IMPROVED farms. Inquire of A. G. NEWCOMER, Dawson, Pa. 6feb6t*

FOR SALE—TWO HYDRAULIC barber chairs; one cash register. Address "BARGAIN," care Courier. 5feb4t

FOR SALE—1 COMBINATION BOOKcase and writing desk, $20.00; 2 genuine leather rockers, slit seats, $7.00; all Early English. Also 7 fibre art rug, $9.00. Inquire 270 East Fairview avenue. 7feb3t*

For Sale.

FOR SALE—TWO HEAVY DRAFT horses, wagon and harness; also two ponies. DEHAVEN COAL CO., South Connellsville, Pa. 3feb3t

FOR SALE—8 ROOM MODERN house and sun parlor. All conveniences. Leaving town reason for selling. Price $2,600. Write "HOUSE," care Courier. 4feb5t*

FOR SALE.—ONE 18 HP STATIONary boiler; one 5x5 Gould's Power Pump; one 2 1-2 HP gasoline engine; one 2 1-4x5 Deming pump with 1 1-2 HP gasoline engine. All in good condition. Write "BOILER," care The Courier. feb5-7-8

FOR SALE—FARM OF 162 ACRES with 2½ acres of Connellsville coal. 8 room brick house with all modern conveniences, two barns. Located in Fayette county near Everson borough, two minutes walk to car line, P. R. R. and B. & O. railroads. Write FRED TROPF, 217 Cohen avenue, Morgantown, W. Va.
feb 7, 8, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 21, 25, 27 mar 3, 5*

Lost.

LOST.—A BUNCH OF TWELVE keys between Highland avenue and East Peach street. Reward if returned to Courier office. 5feb2t-eod*

Moving, General Hauling.

GLOTFELTY'S. BELL 842, TRI-State 573. 18julytf

Moving Trucks.

T. R. ELLICOTT & SON, TRI-STATE 491-Z, R 2. 31jantf

Coal, General Hauling, Moving.

STRANGE, BELL 460, TRI-STATE 611-W. 4febtf

Notice.

WE BUY, SELL AND EXCHANGE second hand cars, and keep parts for all cars on hand; we also take in repair work of all kinds. Come over and see us at the COLUMBIA GARAGE, West Side. 4feb6t

Notice to Bidders.

THE SHERMAN-STIVESON TIRE & Rubber company is desirous of receiving bids for about 2,000 panes of glass. Those desiring to fill this order kindly get in touch with the office, Elks' building, Scottdale, Pa., for dimensions, etc. 28jantf

Executors' Notice.

ESTATE OF SURUA MARTIN, LATE of the borough of Dunbar, county of Fayette and state of Pennsylvania, deceased. Letters testamentary on the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against said estate to present them properly authenticated for settlement. SAMUEL G. MARTIN and CHARLES MARTIN, Executors, P. O. address Dunbar, Pa. 17jan6t-fri

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West Side Coal Co.
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PROMPT DELIVERY
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That's what you find at our complete grocery departments. We have just received from California several carloads of the finest canned fruits in the market, consisting of Lemon Cling and Yellow Free Peaches, Prunes, Pears, Cherries, Pineapples, Quinces and Apricots. There is another choice carload of canned fruits from Maryland, and still another from York state, three of the greatest fruit canning sections in the world. In addition to these we have other varieties. There are carloads of canned vegetables, such as tomatoes, corn, peas, beans, and beets. Our basements are filled with carloads of these, bought way in advance from the best canneries in the country. The prices on all these canned fruits and canned vegetables are fair. Take our line of pickles, preserves, jellies, in cans and bottles, and our complete assortment of other high class groceries. There is no one who can match our stores and there is no one that will give you better quality throughout the entire grocery departments. There are staples and fancy goods. The line of cakes and crackers from the leading bakers received daily. From the grocery department we want to take you to our meat departments. You have heard about them, you know about them. If you don't, ask the man who deals with us, ask any person in the coke region about our meat departments, and we are quite sure what you hear will be an inducement for you to deal with us. Fresh beef, pork, and all other pork products received daily. It is useless to enumerate the numerous articles we have in stock, only we want to say our meat shops are always equipped with complete lines of high class goods, all inspected and passed by Government Inspectors. You are taking no chances, in dealing at our grocery and meat departments. The goods are high class, prices are fair, and reasonable, and the service good.

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I also have a good selection of Gents' Suits and Overcoats, sizes from 34 to 48. I have the latest styles in Suits with skirt models for young men, and also good heavy cloth for older men. Come in and see. You will be sure to find Bargains. It will pay you to come from any distance.

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MOUNT PLEASANT MERCHANT RETIRES AFTER 33 YEARS

U. G. Weimer Sells Stock of his General Store to Philadelphians.

COUNCILMEN HAVE A NEW PLAN

New Borough Secretary Is to Be Given Quarters at Borough Building; Will Be Expected to Spend Evenings That He May Be Found.

Special to The Courier.

MT. PLEASANT, Feb. 7.—U. G. Weimer, one of the best-known business men in Mount Pleasant, who has conducted a store in the East End of town for 33 years, has disposed of his stock of dry goods, shoes and groceries to the Philadelphia Sale Syndicate, with the store in charge of Messrs. Speerling and Gordon of Philadelphia. Mr. Weimer will remain at the store and collect all of his outstanding accounts at the store.

Grand Jury Foreman.

S. C. Stevenson is serving as foreman of the grand jury in Greensburg this week.

At Borough Building.

Preparations are being made to have the new borough secretary establish offices at the borough building where he can be found in the evening. The councilmen think that this is a good plan to get John H. Heffling, the new secretary, in touch with the people and have him located at a place that will be easy for even strangers to find.

Doing Jury Service.

Among the Mount Pleasant people who are serving on the jury in Greensburg this week are Howard Stoner, Lee Berg and Harry Brinker.

Substitute Entertainers.

On account of influenza among the members the Kenilworth players, scheduled to appear in the high school course at the Grand Opera House last evening were unable to appear and a substitute company filled the engagement.

Personal.

Fred Milbee of Chambersburg is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Sarah Kortright, of Smithfield street.

William Rakusin returned yesterday from Pittsburg where he spent a few days.

W. W. Carr spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Krider at Youngwood.

Confluence.

CONFLUENCE, Feb. 6.—Revival meetings will begin in the M. E. church next Sunday, February 9. Rev. C. F. Fireter is pastor.

Samuel Hayback and father, A. F. Frazer who have both been very ill, are reported a little improved.

Mrs. E. B. Brown has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Minder at Rockwood.

Samuel Alcott of Ursina was here yesterday on his way to New York on business.

Mrs. Harvey Shipley of Connellsville is visiting friends here at present.

Earl Ankeny has returned to his work at Pittsburg after visiting his parents at Harnedsville several days.

Mrs. Colwell Younkin has returned to her home in Connellsville after visiting her husband here several days.

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Not only makes your cakes and hot breads lighter, of finer texture and delicious flavor, but at a reasonable cost.

At the Theatres.

MAE MARSH in HIDDEN FIRES Goldwyn Pictures

THE PARAMOUNT.

"HIDDEN FIRES"—With Mae Marsh, the celebrated Goldwyn star, surrounded by a cast of notable screen players, appearing in the leading role is being shown today. Miss Marsh's wistful appeal finds remarkable scope in the many absorbing situations in "Hidden Fires." In it, for the first time in her career, the artist portrays a dual role. "Hidden Fires" depicts the story of a hotel newstand girl, who, because of her striking resemblance to a betrayed society girl, is induced to take the other's place at home and in society in order to spare the life of the mother who grieves for her daughter. Peggy Murray becomes Louise Parke, and as such enjoys the mother love and the riches that were showered upon the missing girl. Peggy shudders at the thought of the deception and, to make amends, busies herself with work among the city's poor. On one of her visits to the sick in the slums Peggy's co-workers take her to the bedside of a once beautiful girl whose face is now stained by suffering. Peggy suspects the truth and soon learns the sufferer is the girl whose place she has taken. Peggy shows the betrayer of the girl that it is his duty to marry her and when their marriage rights the wrong done Peggy ends the deception and returns to her newstand. The production will be repeated tomorrow.

THE SOISSON.

"MORAL SUICIDE"—In which John Mason, famous on the American stage for many ears, is starred, is being shown today. Supporting Mr. Mason is Leah Baird, who makes an alluring and fascinating adventuress in this sensational photoplay. As Fay Hope, the siren who causes the "moral suicide" of Richard Covington, gives a remarkably effective portrayal of a character of a vampire type. The story centers around Richard Covington, an aged millionaire, stockbroker and social leader of San Francisco. He is devoted to his motherless daughter, Beatrice, a pretty girl of twenty, and to Waverly, his twenty-two year old son. Into the life of contentment at Covington home enters Fay Hope, a New York adventuress. Friends warn Covington that Fay is seeking his money, but he is captivated. The wedding takes place. Fay at once begins to connive to get Covington's wealth and realizes that the presence of Beatrice is a serious stumbling block. She places Beatrice in such a position that Covington believing that is attempting to mar his happiness, orders the daughter from his home. Later Fay confesses to Covington that she married him only for his money. His irresponsible son commits a murder, and although Covington spends the remainder of his fortune in trying to save him, the young man is convicted. Covington's own moral downfall causes that of his daughter. A selected comedy is also being shown.

LONG WAIT AT PORT

Pennsville Boy at Embarkation Camp Christmas; Not Home Yet.

Corporal Merrill McFadden, writing to his mother, Mrs. J. W. McFadden of Pennsville, on December 24, says he is in an embarkation camp ready to sail for home. He also tells of meeting Russell Lenhart over there. The letter follows:

"It has been some time since I wrote you. One of the fellows said tomorrow was Christmas so I decided to write this letter. I am O. K. and at an embarkation camp where I have been for the last 10 days awaiting transportation to the U. S. A. Something is holding our entire company here but I don't know what it is so I don't expect to leave here for some time. I wish I was with my old company now, as it is somewhere in Germany.

"I will tell you of the different battles I was in when I come home. I was in some of the worst ones but it is all over now. I met Tom List here about a week ago but I don't see him any more now. I think he has pulled out to the States. I worked with him at the car shops in Everson."

In another letter he tells of the great joy when he and Russel Lenhart met in France. They were both on leave of absence when they happened to meet on Thanksgiving day. Lenhart is also from Pennsville.

Corporal McFadden has not yet arrived at his home.

Starving in the Midst of Plenty

Acid-Stomach Steals Strength and Good Feelings From Millions

One of the worst features of acid-stomach is that very often it literally starves its victims in the midst of plenty. And the strange thing about it is that the people with acid-stomachs seldom know what their trouble really is.

No matter how good or wholesome the food may be, or how much they eat, they do not gain in strength. This is clearly explained by the fact that an acid-stomach cannot properly digest food. Instead of healthy, normal digestion, the excess acid causes the food to sour and ferment. Then when this mass of sour, fermented food, charged with excess acid, passes into the intestines, it becomes the breeding place for all kinds of germs and toxic poisons, which in turn are absorbed into the blood and in this way distributed throughout the entire body. And that is exactly why it is that so many thousands of people eat and eat and keep on eating and yet are literally starving in the midst of plenty. Their acid-stomachs make it absolutely impossible for them to get the full measure of nourishment out of their food. And it doesn't take long for this poor nourishment to show its ill effects in a weakened, emaciated body.

You may say: "My stomach doesn't hurt me." That may be true because many victims of acid-stomach do not actually suffer stomach pains. Then again, there are millions who do suffer all kinds of aches and pains—headaches, rheumatic twinges, gout, lumbago, pains around the heart and in the chest—who never dream that an acid-stomach is the real cause of the trouble.

Naturally, the sensible thing to do is to strike right at the very cause of this trouble and clean the excess acid out of the stomach. There is a quick, easy way to do this. A wonderful new remedy quickly removes the excess acid without the slightest discomfort. It is EATONIC. Made in the form of tablets—they are good to eat—just like a bit of candy. They literally absorb the injurious excess acid and carry it away through the intestines. They also drive the bloat out of the body—in fact you can fairly feel it work. Make a test of EATONIC in your own case today. Get a big box of EATONIC from your druggist. See for yourself how surely it brings quick relief in those painful attacks of indigestion, bitter heartburn, belching, disgusting food repeating, that awful bloated, lumpy feeling after eating and other stomach miseries. Banish all your stomach troubles so completely that you forget you have a stomach. Then you can eat what you like and digest your food in comfort without fear of distressing after effects.

If EATONIC does not relieve you, it will not cost you one penny. You can return it to your druggist and get your money back. So if you have the slightest question about your health—if you feel you are not getting all the strength out of your food—if you are not feeling tip-top, ready for your work, full of vim and vigor—do give EATONIC a fair trial this very day and see how much better you will feel.

TAKE EATONIC TODAY FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH

CATARRH VANISHES

Here Is One Treatment That All Sufferers Can Rely Upon.

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Breathe Hyomei and let it rid you of catarrh; it gives such quick relief that all who use it for the first time are astonished.

Hyomei is a pure pleasant antiseptic, which is breathed into the lungs over the inflamed membrane; it soothes the sore spots, and heals all inflammation.

Don't suffer another day with catarrh; the disease is dangerous and often ends in consumption. Start the Hyomei treatment today. No stomach dosing, no sprays or douches; just breathe it—that's all. Ask A. A. Clarke.—Adv.

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A. A. Clarke, Connellsville, Pa.

Children's 35c White Hose, all sizes, pair at 22c	KOBACKER'S "THE BIG STORE" ON PITTSBURGH ST.	45c Full Bleached Pillow Cases, large size 32c
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Quality, Assortments, Values, Low Prices, the Keynotes

Carefully laid plans, commenced months ago, for this event, buying from the most reputable makers, comparing and choosing carefully, in some instances securing noteworthy price concessions, which we now pass on to our customers. For these reasons we proclaim this our Greatest White Sale.

75c Silk Camisoles 48c

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Up to 69c Corset Covers 35c

Lingerie Gowns, Skirts, Drawers and Silk Camisoles

We offer clean, crisp, dainty white Chemise, Gowns, Drawers and Silk Camisoles in a wide variety of styles, Special at 79c

Select from hundreds of dainty, fine Petticoats, Envelope Chemise, Gowns, Drawers, Silk Camisoles and Crepe Bloomers, Special at 99c

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Including the Famous "Dove" Make.

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Worthwhile Savings on Laces and Embroideries

Cluny and Filet Laces Suitable for Underwear, Curtains, Dress purposes and trimming Linens. Grouped in three great lots, specially priced at yard 5c 10c 15c

50c New Novelty White Waistings 39c

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Every garment in stock is now reduced to a price which will clear them out quickly.

One Lot Women's **Coats** Every One a Bargain. **$5.00**

Women's and Misses' **Suits, Coats, Dresses,** Former Values up to $25. **$10.00**

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Our Entire Stock CHILDREN'S COATS ½ OFF | Almost Our Entire Stock WOMEN'S FURS ½ OFF | Our Entire Stock WOMEN'S RAINCOATS ½ OFF

Dawson.

DAWSON, Feb. 7.—Mrs. Charles Gaal spent Wednesday at the home of her sister, Mrs. William Ambrose in Mount Braddock.

See Theda Bara in "Cleopatra," at the Soisson theatre, Monday and Tuesday.—Adv.—7-3t.

Miss Bertha Nisewonger, who has been on the sick list the past few days, is improving.

Pawrence Parkhill, a former employe of the Pittsburg & Lake Erie railroad, has accepted a position with the Prudential Insurance company.

Miss Mamie Murphy who has been visiting friends and relatives the past few days has returned to her home in McKeesport.

Mrs. Martin Hasson of West Side, Connellsville, spent Thursday with her mother, Mrs. Theresa Grassinger.

Nelson Welsh of Woodlawn is visiting his mother, Mrs. Susan Welsh of Railroad street.

Miss Cora Gilland of Cleveland, O., is spending a few days with friends and relatives.

Mrs. J. W. Brower was visiting friends in Connellsville Thursday.

Mrs. A. J. Manning was a recent Pittsburg visitor.

A number of postal cards have reached town from our old friend, Charles Worthington, who is making a tour of the South and Southwestern United States. The cards were sent from Hot Springs, Ark., stating that he was enjoying good health and having a fine time. Charles always remembers his friends at home and he has a host of them.

Read The Daily Courier.

ASTHMA There is no "cure" but relief is often brought by— "Your Bodyguard" VICKS VAPORUB NEW PRICES—30c, 60c, $1.20

AVOID COUGHS and COUGHERS Coughing Spreads Disease SHILOH 30 DROPS—STOPS COUGHS HALF THIS FOR CHILDREN

A NEW ASSESSMENT RULE ON COAL LAND IN WASHINGTON CO.

Holdings Are Divided Into Active and Inactive Acreages.

100 ACRES AT EACH MINE

Assessed at $100 Per Acre Above the Inactive Coal in the Same Assessment District; Range of Valuations $20 to $360; Increase $5 to $15 Acre.

The county commisioners of Washington county sitting as a board of revision, have completed the coal assessments of the various assessments districts of the county. A report of their action is being sent out to the coal companies and those interested in coal holdings. The coal on which valuation have been fixed, is that of the Pittsburg or river vein. The stripping coal in the northern part of the county has not yet been passed upon.

As set forth in the notices of valuation, the coal lands are divided into two classes—active and inactive coal. Active coal consists of 100 acres at each mine opening, to be assessed at $100 an acre above the inactive coal in the same assessment district. Coal lost, mined or exhausted to be deducted from the inactive acreage, it being the intent that there always remain 100 acres of active coal at each mine opening.

Inactive coal consists of all other coal in the Pittsburg seam and to be assessed in each assessment district at a uniform rate per acre; that is, all inactive coal in the same assessment district, regardless of its ownership or its location in the said district, to be assessed at the same rate per acre.

Appeals from the valuation of coal lands and of improvements of the coal companies will be heard in the office of the county commissioners in Washington not earlier than March 13.

The increase in valuation over the triennial assessment of 1916 range from $5 to $15 per acre. In each case the commisioners placed the figures at what they estimated was one-third the value of the coal in the several districts. The valuations, compared with those of 1916, are as follows:

	1916	1919
Allen	$350	$360
Amwell	120	130
Beallsville	225	225
Beatleyville	250	260
Blaine	40	45
Buffalo	50	55
Canton	90	100
Carroll	280	290
Cecil	185	195
Centerville	325	335
Chartiers	195	205
Cross Creek	80	90
Deemston	250	260
Donegal	40	45
Dunlevy	350	360
E. Finley	40	45
E. Bethlehem	305	315
E. Pike Run	350	360
Fallowfield	280	295
Hanover	15	20
Hopewell	55	60
Independence	55	45
Jefferson	50	60
Long Branch	310	325
Marianna	150	160
Monongahela, 3rd. W.	310	325
Morris	65	70
Mt. Pleasant	115	125
New Eagle	310	325
N. Franklin	90	100
N. Strabane	150	160
Nottingham	190	200
Paters	160	175
Robinson	115	125
Smith	95	105
Somerset	175	185
S. Franklin	80	85
S. Strabane	130	140
Speers	310	325
Twilight	310	325
Union	280	290
West Bethlehem	150	160
West Finley	35	40
West Pike Run	245	255
Washington, 5th. W.		140
Washington, 6th. W.	130	140
Washington, 7th. W.	90	100

Prittstown.

PRITTSTOWN, Feb. 7.—Mrs. Jesse Keough was a Connellsville visitor on Tuesday.

Harvey Younkin was here a few days with his relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mardis.

Mrs. W. F. Overly and son, Russell, of Greensburg, wee the guests Sunday of hee sister, Mrs. Charles Truxal.

Edward Pearson is confined to his home with an attack of grip.

Miss Emma Jones spent from Saturday until Monday in Uniontown with the family of her brother, Attorney A. E. Jones.

A PARTY FROCK

If one had life to live over again one would insist, surely, on having a frock like this—one of pale blue taffeta embroidered with shaded pink roses that have pale green stems and leaves. There is a chemise of net in the same color; a plain satin petticoat and two silk roses one pink, one blue.

DAYS OF CUT-THROAT COMPETITION IN COAL ARE BELIEVED PAST

Conditions Will Rather Tend Toward Even Higher Prices for the Better Grades.

"Market conditions in the near future will as a result be determined solely by the manner in which the producer and consumer of soft coal react to the new-found freedom," says the Coal Age.

"It is impossible to conceive of the coal industry returning again to price-cutting and cutthroat competition; and large purchasers who purposely kept out of the market in recent months, in the belief that when government control ceased they could name their own price for fuel, will find that the old order has passed, never to return.

"The elaborate system of reports required by the federal Fuel Administration during the war period has taught many operators their true cost of production, a knowledge that was woefully lacking before the government took hold of the industry. With wages as high as they are at present, and the cost of material and equipment still 'in the clouds,' coal will hardly be cheaper. If the consuming public will not pay a price for coal that will enable the operator to make a legitimate profit, the coal will not be mined. Already a great number of operators have shut down rather than work at a loss, and instead of paring down prices to meet the figures set by purchasing agents many more mine owners have signified their intention of doing likewise.

"It cannot be overlooked, however, that at the present moment fair-to-poor grades of bituminous coal are being offered here and there at prices considerably lower than the government maximums. The overstocked condition of the market, the closing down or restricted operation of many factories and the phenomenally mild weather are factors that tend to work counter to the best interests of the coal mining industry. High-grade bituminous coals continue to maintain their price levels, with a strong probability that they will go higher with the elimination of federal price control."

Ohiopyle.

OHIOPYLE, Feb. 6.—Mrs. F. K. Bailey and daughter spent Wednesday the guest of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Colborn at Connellsville.

Miss Sybe Raybeck spent Tuesday evening at her home at Confluence.

Roy Wolfe has returned from Connellsville.

Miss Ella Corristan is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Hershberger at Connellsville.

Miss Della Corristan spent Wednesday shopping in Connellsville.

Mrs. Clyde Corristan spent Wednesday calling on Connellsville friends.

Mrs. L. R. Welsh left last evening for Pittsburg to visit her mother, Mrs. Anna Schenck.

Mrs. Ault and daughter, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Mitchell departed last evening for Connellsville.

Hunting Bargains?
You will find them in our ad. columns.

No Medicine-Chest Without Its Family Laxative

From the baby to the grandparents a good laxative is the necessary medicine in the little ills. It wards off serious sickness and saves doctor's bills. Many a cold has been prevented from running into grippe and pneumonia by its timely use.

Many a racking headache has been quickly dispelled by it. And it is a laxative rather than a drastic cathartic or purgative that should be in every family medicine-chest, for a laxative can be used at all ages.

Thousands of good American families have for more than a quarter century used a combination of simple laxative herbs with pepsin known to druggists as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It is a laxative-tonic that acts on the bowels and stomach. Infants take it with perfect safety, and it is equally effective for grownups.

Grandparents are now seeing their children give it to their babies. It is excellent for all the family in constipation no matter how chronic, indigestion, wind colic, biliousness, headaches, dyspepsia and similar ills.

The druggist will refund your money if it fails to do as promised.

PRICE AS ALWAYS

In spite of greatly increased laboratory costs due to the War, by sacrificing profits and absorbing war taxes we have maintained the price at which this family laxative has been sold by druggists for the past 26 years. Two sizes—50c and $1.00.

Dr. Caldwell's SYRUP PEPSIN The Perfect Laxative

FREE SAMPLES—If you have never used Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin send for a free trial bottle to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 468 Washington St., Monticello, Ill. If there are babies at home, ask for a copy of Dr. Caldwell's book, "The Care of Baby."

PROUD TO SAY COKE REGION BOYS DID SHARE, WALTER S. OSTROFSKY WRITES COURIER

Writing to The Courier from France on December 28, 1918, Private Walter S. Ostrofsky a member of Company F, 52nd Infantry, Sixth Division, says he and about 200 other soldiers from this section expected to leave that country for the States about January 19. The letter follows:

"Just a few lines to let the folks at home know how the boys are enjoying themselves since the war is ended. After sharing in the big Yank advance, having the Huns licked and hiking all over France, we are now getting prepared to sail for home. In the meantime we are having a great time passing in review for some great general every Saturday.

"We had a big day on Christmas. We passed in review for the President of the United States, the president of France and the commanding generals, Pershing and Foch. The Sixth won all the honors for having the best line in the formation. We got praise from the President and General Pershing. There are about 200 boys from Connellsville and vicinity in the Sixth and the 80th has boys from all of Fayette county.

"The Sixth Division participated in the operations on the Vosges sector from August 31 to October 11; on the Meuse-Argonne, from November 1 to November 11. The 80th participated in operations south of Arras, July 24 to August 18; Meuse-Argonne offensive, September 26 to September 29; Verdun sector, October 4 to October 12; Meuse-Argonne offensive, November 1 to November 5.

"We are now proud to say that the coke region boys have done their share for they have participated in all of the big doing over here. We are getting all ready to set sail for the good old U. S. A. on January 19, and think the 80th may be in the same convoy. All of the boys are sending their best wishes and hopes that they will meet their friends soon."

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FOR YOUR MONEY

After Influenza—What Then?

OH, MY BACK!

After this Spanish influenza has swept the country almost like the "black death" did in Europe in the Fourteenth Century, after the storm has passed, we are confronted by the wrecks of men and women who have been left in a weakened condition, with pale faces and feelings of general lassitude and weakness. It is a fact to be borne in mind that the effort on the part of nature to throw off the poisons during the attack of Spanish influenza results sometimes in nephritis, or inflammation of the kidneys.

In view of the seriousness of this disease as a result of toxemia, it is most essential that treatment be directed towards prompt elimination of the toxins (poisons) from the body. This means that the excretory organs—the bowels, skin and kidneys—should be excited to their best efforts to throw off the poisons. Send to the drug store and get castor oil, or a pleasant laxative such as Dr. Pierce' Pleasant Purgative Pellets, which are made of May-apple, aloes and jalap, and take these every other day. This will excite efficient bowel action. At the same time, if you suffer from backache, irritation of the bladder and the kidneys, shown by the frequent calls to get out of bed at night, considerable sediment in the water, brick-dust deposit, perhaps headache in the morning, you should obtain at the drug store a simple tablet which expels the uric acid and the toxic poisons from the system. This is called "Anuric" (anti-uric), and was first put up by Dr. Pierce. By its action on the bladder and kidneys, it expels these toxic poisons.

To build up the strength and improve the blood—because after the influenza there are fewer of the white blood corpuscles and too few red blood corpuscles—take an iron tonic such as "Irontic" (to be had in tablets at drug stores), or some good herbal tonic such as one that has served the greatest usefulness for the past fifty years, namely, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, made from wild barks and roots, without alcohol, and sold in tablet or liquid form.

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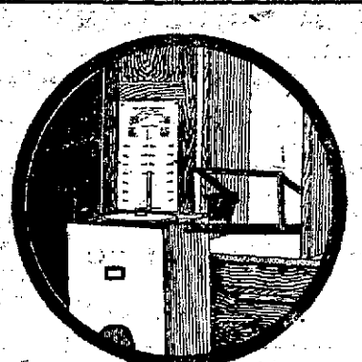

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The New Sellers Kitchen Cabinets Are Here

Our big complete showing of new Sellers Kitchen Cabinets has arrived and are now on display. These nationally advertised Kitchen Cabinets have been accorded first place in their field. The Good Housekeeping Magazine using only the Sellers in its celebrated Efficiency Kitchen—the Sellers embraces more distinctive, exclusive features than any other cabinet manufactured. For proof compare.

Sellars Kitchen Cabinets Offered on Special Easy Terms During Our FEBRUARY SALE!

The Sellers Kitchen Cabinet, being a nationally advertised article, has one standard price and cannot therefore be reduced during this February Bargain month. We can, however, and do offer them on special easy terms—convenient enough to make the paying a pleasure. Our plan is dignified and confidential—ask about it.

Sellers Kitchen Cabinets

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YOU SAVE 20% at OUR STORE!

Buy your Groceries fresh and Smoked Meats, Fruits and Vegetables all under one roof and save yourself 20 per cent at the Connellsville Market.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY SPECIALS

50 lb. sack Flour	$3.20
25 lb. sack Flour	$1.60
1 bu. Potatoes	$1.85
1 pk. Potatoes	48c
3—1 lb. packages Purity Oats	25c
2—15c packages all brands Rolled Oats	25c
2—15c packages Pancake or Buckwheat Flour	25c
2 cans Richland Corn	25c
2 cans Hominy	25c
2 cans Beets	25c
1 large can Alice Pork and Beans	15c
3 packages Macaroni	25c
2 bottles Red Seal Catsup	25c
1 large bottle Catsup	15c
1 quart jar Olives	38c
2 cans Velva Molasses	25c
3—1 lb. cans Tomatoes	25c
1 large can Tomatoes	20c
6 cans Lighthouse Cleanser	25c
6 cans Sunbright Cleanser	25c
Large box Swift Pride Washing Powder	25c
4 bars Lenox, 4 Swift Pride, 4 Borax, 4 Rub-No-More or 4 Swift Naptha for	25c
40c can Lydia brand Baking Powder	28c
40c can Blue Ribbon Baking Powder	28c
15c can Cruikshank's Pork and Beans	10c
10c can Stove Polish	7c
SPECIAL! 3 cans Whiz Soap, 15c size, 3 for	30c

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By C. A. VOIGHT

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Sale starts Saturday, Feb. 8, at 9 A. M. and lasts 7 days only

$1.00 Men's heavy Wool Hose, Selling Out Price, pair **39c**

Men's heavy fleeced lined Shirts or Drawers, Selling Out Price, garment **89c**

$1.25 Men's Blue Work Shirts, all sizes, Selling Out Price **69c**

$2.50 Men's fleeced or ribbed Union Suits, all sizes, Selling Out Price, suit **$1.39**

$1.50 and $2.00 Men's Dress Shirts, Selling Out Price **79c**

$3.00 and $3.50 Men's Sweater Coats, Selling Out Price **$1.39**

$2.00 Boys' heavy fleeced lined Union Suits, Selling Out Price, suit **79c**

$2.50 Men's Arctics, all sizes, Selling Out Price, pair **$1.25**

$4.50 and $5.00 Men's Corduroy Pants, Selling Out Price, pair **$2.75**

Pants! Pants!

$3.50 and $4.00 Men's Every-day Trousers, all sizes, good patterns $1.98
$5.00 and $6.00 Men's Dress Pants at $2.98
$1.50 and $2.00 Boys, Knee Pants at 69c
$2.50 and $3.00 Boys' Knee Pants at $1.39
$7.00 and $8.00 Men's all wool Dress Pants, all sizes $3.98

Shoes! Shoes!

Special lot of Men's Dress Shoes at $1.98
$4.50 and $5.00 Men's Dress Shoes at $2.98
$8.00 and $10.00 Men's and Ladies' Dress Shoes at $3.98
$4.00 Boys' solid leather Shoes, all sizes, at $1.98

Hats and Caps

Special lot of Men's Hats at 98c
Men's and Boys' Caps at 39c
$4.00 and $5.00 Men's Hats at $1.98

Comforts and Blankets

Special lot of Blankets, per pair at $1.98
$4.50 and $5.00 Comforts at $2.98
$6.50 and $7.00 Comforts at $3.98

Men's Suits and O'coats!

Special lot of Men's Suits at $9.75
$22.50 and $25.00 Men's Suits at $13.75
$20.00 and $22.50 Men's Overcoats at $7.95
$25.00 and $30.00 Men's Overcoats at $12.75
Unrestricted choice of any Men's Suit or Overcoat in the store, values up to $50.00, Selling Out Price $16.75

Ladies' Coats and Suits!

Special lot of Ladies' Coats at $2.98
Special lot of Ladies' Suits at $5.90
Special lot of Ladies' Coats at $9.75
Special lot of Ladies' Suits at $7.95
Your choice of any Misses' or Child's Coat in the store at ONE HALF PRICE.

Waists and Skirts!

Special lot of Waists, all sizes, this season's goods, values up to $3.50 ..... 79c
$6.00 and $7.00 Silk Waists, all sizes $1.98
Special lot of Dress Skirts, all sizes, values up to $7.50, at $2.98
$10.00 and $12.50 Skirts, all wool serges and fancy silk, all sizes, at $3.98

Boys Suits!

$5.00 and $6.00 Boys' Suits, sizes 3 to 8 only, must go at $2.98
$10.00 to $12.50 Boys' Suits at $4.98
$12.50 to $15.00 Boys' Suits at $7.98
$18.00 to $20.00 Boys' Suits at $9.98
Any Boys' O'vercoat in the store at ONE HALF PRICE.

Shoes! Shoes!

Special lot of Men's Outing Bal. Shoes (Scout) at $1.98
$4.50 and $5.00 Men's Work Shoes at $2.98
$2.25 and $2.50 Men's Slippers (Romeos) at $1.34
$4.50 and $5.00 Boys' High Top Shoes at $2.98
$3.50 and $4.00 Men's Heavy Work Shoes $1.98

Dresses! Dresses!

Special lot of Silk and Serge Dresses at $7.95
$3.50 and $4.00 House Dresses, all sizes and colors, at $1.69
$30.00 and $35.00 Silk and All Wool Serge Dresses at $9.95
A beautiful Apron House Dress, very new, at $1.98

30c Calicos, light or dark patterns, Selling Out Price, yard **14c**

72x90 full size Sheets, regular $1.75 grade, Selling Out Price **98c**

Lancaster Ginghams and Percales, 35c value, Selling Out Price, yard **19c**

Ladies 'heavy ribbed Union Suits, all sizes, $2.25 value, Selling Out Price, suit **79c**

35c and 40c Bleached or Unbleached Muslin, Selling Out Price, yard **19c**

$1.25 Ladies' extra heavy ribbed Shirts or Drawers, Selling Out Price, garment **49c**

Misses' and Children's Black Hose, 35c value, Selling Out Price, pair **19c**

Misses' and Children's heavy ribbed Union Suits, $1.50 value, Selling Out Price, suit **69c**

$2.25 Bungalow Aprons, sizes 34 to 46, Selling Out Price **$1.19**

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COMPLAINTS OF BAD TREATMENT ARE POURING IN

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the news from home was denied when it was most needed. Frequently the War Department has confessed its own failure in this regard by referring anxious inquirers to the Red Cross for information. Six months have elapsed in many cases without mail being delivered to the men in France. To a wondering and grieving wife the government replied in one instance: "Your husband was severely wounded nearly four months ago, and if you want to know how he is communicate with a private party."

"That hundreds of thousands of the men 'over there' have been unpaid for months, and that thus the bill to pay soldiers $30 per month, which Representative Good of Iowa put through in 1917, has had its benefit largely wasted. A mother writes of her son: 'We receive letters from him about every three weeks. The last one, a week ago, said he had not had a cent of pay for five months, but would not care for the money if he could only hear from home to know we were still alive.'

"That in some of the camps on the other side mismanagement has caused deplorable conditions. Thus at Brest last month where there were between 40,000 and 60,000 men transportation was so scarce that water carts were hauled by details of 14 men. Yet some outfits had no cart. These sent details with individual canteens of the men to get water. There were no latrines. The camp was so crowded that, as one private wrote, there was 'no head or tail to anything.' The mud was knee deep. The men stood for an hour and a half to get mess which they were unable to eat. Hay was given the men in order that they might lie on it in the mud.

"Minority Leader Mann has pointed out that 'General Butler had 2,000 marines there, and he put them at work taking care of the sick who came there. They had influenza at the camp. These marines took the men, carried them from the train directly to the camp and laid them on the hay. They fed them, took care of them, and were acting as nurses for them. Lo, and behold, an order came to ship these marines and scatter them through camps throughout France. They were there acting and willing to act as nurses, and they were ordered away when they had nothing to do but kill time, and the men who were sick were required to wait on each other. Who can imagine a more brutal and inefficient service than that?'"

PARTY AT LAYTON

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Sechrist are Hosts to Young People.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Sechrist entertained a number of their friends Saturday night at their home at Layton. Various games and music, including selections on a talking machine, and a violin solo by Ted Mellinger, were the amusements. At a late hour refreshments were served. The following were present:

John Stimmel, Melva Culler, Freeman Zircle, Ethel Fisher, Marie Forsythe, Hershell Hood, Willis Hood, William Rocks, Peter Rocks, Agnes Fisher, John Sechrist, Harold Sechrist, Roy Sechrist, Theodore Mellinger, Sadie Rough, Oliver Rough, Edith Rough, Gertrude Rough, Alice Fisher, Rose Fisher, Pearl Fisher, Mabel Fisher and Carrie Sechrist, Layton; Emma Fisher, Star Junction; Mary Gath, Elizabeth Merritt, Helen Leighty, Isabella Sechrist, Emma Sechrist and Laura Sechrist, Dawson; Earl Cottom, Irvin Cottom, Florence William Fasching, Louis Trennel, Goldie Hixson, Gladys Hixson, Mildred Hixson, Susanna Haley and Herman Embry, Banning.

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If You Suffer From Constipation, Upset Stomach or Inactive Liver, Give Celery King a Trial, If You Want Genuine Relief and Want It Quick.

It's a purely vegetable remedy, gentle and effective that drives impurities from the bowels and makes you feel better right away.

Brew a cup of this pleasant remedy when you catch cold, get feverish and are out of sorts.

Use it for sick headache; to give you a sweet breath, clear skin and healthy appetite.

BUREAU OF MINES DOES NOT CLAIM ALL THE CREDIT

For the Rescue Work at the Mt. Braddock Mine; Was Shared In by Three Other Well Trained Teams.

The United States Bureau of Mines has brought to the attention of The Weekly Courier the fact that injustice has been done to representatives of the H. C. Frick Coke company, Orient Coke company and the Mine Safety Appliances company in a certain articles published in Pittsburg papers describing the rescue accomplishments at the recent accident at the Mount Braddock mine of the W. J. Rainey interests, ascribing all of the credit to the Bureau of Mines.

In justice to all concerned it should be stated that Inspectors J. E. Struble and Stephen Arkwright of the H. C. Frick Coke company were in immediate charge of the rescue operations, five representatives of the United States Bureau of Mines, two other men from the Frick company and one representative of the Mine Safety Appliances company and three representatives, from the Orient Coke company, cooperating in the underground operations which resulted in the rescue of six men alive.

It might be stated that the Bureau of Mines was not responsible for the publication of the articles above referred to.

Broke Them All Up.

Husband—You were not so late as usual today.

Wife—No; the meeting of the Society for the Emancipation of Women from the Thralldom of Men had to be postponed.

Husband—What was the matter?

Wife—One of the members came in with a hobble skirt on, and we all rushed out to buy one.

Two cent classified ads, 1 cent a word.

To Have a Good Complexion

It is absolutely necessary to be in good health. A vast number of women neglect the very foundation of all beauty—the general health. To really look well, you must really feel well. Beauty is nature's priceless gift to women, but to possess it they must first take care

To Have a Wealth of Health

There is an easy way to make the charm of sparkling eye and unclouded brow—of spotless complexion, rosy, smiling lips and vivacious spirits—your very own.

You can quickly correct conditions of nervous headache, chronic indigestion, unaccountable lassitude, depression and frequent functional irregularities. These conditions that tend to extinguish attractiveness, and render brightness and gaiety of mind impossible, are usually preventable. To attain and retain the true bloom of health what you need do is to systematically—regularly—whenever occasion requires—

Take **BEECHAM'S PILLS**

"The Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World"

Directions of special value to women are with every box.

At All Druggists, 10c, 25c.

COMEDY — PATHOS — TEARS — LAUGHTER

Scottdale Theatre

Monday Night, February 10

ROBERT SHERMAN Presents

The Dramatic Sensation of the Season

The Girl Without a Chance

A Play for the Mothers

A Model and Fearless Plea for the Betterment of Young Girls Who Are Without Parents and Homes

A Soul-Stirring Episode

PRICES—Lower Floor, 75c and $1.00; Balcony, 25c and 50c.

Not a Moving Picture, But a Real Play.

WHAT ABOUT FATHER?

Obsessed with the big idea of protecting those at home, father often omits the essential protection of his most vital asset—strength.

SCOTT'S EMULSION

is as beneficial to the hard-working man of business as it is to the growing child. *Scott's* imparts the quality to the blood that enables the body to grip strength fast. *Scott's* helps solve the problem that faces every business-man—*that of keeping up with the wear and tear on the body.*

Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J. 18-23

LISTIE SOLDIER WOUNDED

Name of Private Walter S. Forney in List for Today.

Casualties reported today by the commanding general of the American Expeditionary Forces are as follows:

Killed in action	25
Died from wounds	17
Died from accident and other causes	5
Died of disease	49
Missing in action	15
Wounded severely	143
Total	254

Included are:

Wounded severely—Private Walter S. Forney (William M. Forney), Listie; Private Tony Ross (Charles Ross), Monongahela; Private Michael Daniel Shubeck, (Stephen Shubeck), Ralphton; Private Ernest Welfley (Mrs. Lucy Yaist), Salisbury.

Dumbar.

See Theda Bara in "Cleopatra," at the Soisson theatre, Monday and Tuesday.—Adv.—7-3t.

When You Want Anything

Then use our classified column. Results will follow.

Want Help?

Advertise in our Classified Column.

Sound Judgment

Do you realize the importance of sound judgment in the handling of an estate? Appoint the Title & Trust Co. of Western Pennsylvania as your Executor and you are assured of management that meets every requirement.

This is the only bank in this community paying 4% interest on savings accounts.

Title and Trust Company of Western Pennsylvania Connellsville

NO newspaper can succeed without advertising, therefore we solicit the patronage of our readers for those who by their advertising help to make this paper possible.

THRIFT IS NOT MEANNESS

No; it's very far from that.

Thrift that is good management—the elimination of waste— living on less than you make and getting something ahead.

Thrift is true patriotism for it benefits the nation as much as the individual.

A growing saving account is the best evidence of Thrift.

Liberal Interest Paid at this strong bank.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

120 W. Crawford Ave., Connellsville. "The bank that Does Things for You"

Checking Accounts Invited.

READ THE COURIER.

Starts Saturday, Feb. 8th, 9 A. M.

Death to High Prices---We Have Killed All High Prices During This Sale

SALE OF ALL SALES!

You Have Heard the Rest—Now Attend the Best

MAX LEVINE, CONNELLSVILLE

STUPENDOUS STOCK REDUCTION SALE

An Elimination and Eviction of the Entire Stock

$2.50 Underwear, $1.29
Big lot of new wool Underwear, shirt and drawers, $2.50 value
$1.29

$5.00 Boots, $2.95
Big lot of men's white Mine Rubber Boots, value up to $5.00
$2.95

30c Ginghams, 18c
1,522 Yards of Lancaster Apron Ginghams, all colors; yard
18c

FURS AT LESS THAN HALF
$2.00 Waists, 95c
Big lot of Ladies' Waist Voiles, Lingerie, Silk, etc., values up to $2.00, for
95c

$3.50 Pants, $1.69
Big lot of Men's Work and Dress Pants, all materials; v to $3.5 values, for
$1.69

$4.50 Suits, $2.29
Big lot of Boys' School Suits, all materials; values to $4.50
$2.29

$1.25 Shirt, 59c
10 doz. of Men's Fine Cambric Work Shirts, $1.25 value
59c

$2.50 Sweaters, $1.49
Big lot of men's extra heavy Sweaters, all colors; $2.50 values
$1.49

$1.00 Shirs, 59c
Big lot of Men's Fine Dress Shirts, all sizes; $1.00 values
59c

$1.25 Aprons, 49c
Big lot of ladies' Bungalow Aprons, big sizes; $1.25 values
49c

50c Pants, 19c
Big lot of fine lace trimmed Pants, pretty patterns, 50c values, at
19c

$5.00 Dresses, 59c
One lot of Ladies' Gingham, Lawn Dresses; values to $5.00
59c

$6.00 Overcoat, $2.95
Big lot of Boys' Overcoats, all materials; values to $6.00
$2.95

$10.00 MacKinaw, $5.95
Big lot of Men's Mackinaws, all the new plaid colors; values to $10.00
$5.95

$10.00 Raincoats, $3.95
Big lot of Raincoats, all colors. Coats sold up to $10.00, for
$3.95

$5.00 Pants, $2.95
Big lot of Men's Fine Dress Pants, all new materials; $5.00 values, at
$2.95

$1.50 Underwear, 79c
Big lot of Men's Wool Process Underwear, $1.50 values, at
79c

75c Toques, 39c
Big lot of children's Wool Toques, all colors; 75c values
39c

$1.50 Shirts, 89c
Big lot of Men's Flannellette Shirts, all colors; $1.50 value
89c

Coats, Dresses, Skirts

Big lot of Ladies' fine Coats, plaid materials, values to $12.50 ..... **$7.95**

Big lot of Ladies' Coats, all the new materials, all colors, Coats sold up to $25.00 .. **$12.95**

Big lot of Ladies' fine Coats in wool materials and plushes, some fur trimmed, values to $30.00 ..... **$14.95**

Big lot of Ladies 'Silk Poplin Dresses, all colors, values to $10.00 ..... **$3.95**

Big lot of Ladies' fine Dresses, Silk, Serge and Poplin, in all colors, values to $20.00 ..... **$9.95**

Extra Men's Clothing

Prices smashed to atoms for quick disposal.

Big lot of Men's Suits, all materials, values to $15.00, at **$5.95**

Big lot of Men's High Grade Suits in all materials, values to $20.00, at **$9.95**

Big lot of Men's strictly high grade Suits, all hand tailored, all new materials, $25.00 values at **$14.95**

Men's Overcoats.
$15.00 Men's Overcoats $5.95
$20.00 Men's Overcoats $9.95
$30.00 Men's Overcoats $14.95

$2.50 Shoes $1.00
Big lot of Boys' and Girls' School Shoes, all leather, value to $2.50,
$1.00

$2.00 Overalls $1.29
Big lot of Men's blue Demin Overalls with and without bibs, $2 values,
$1.29

$15.00 Suits $2.95
Big lot of Young Men's Suits, all materials, values to $15,
$2.95

35c Ginghams 15c
2,500 yards of Fancy Dress Ginghams, fast colors, 35c alueys,
15c

Shoes

Big lot of Ladies' fine Dress Shoes, all leathers, values to $3.50 ..... **$1.95**

$4.50 Dress Shoes $2.95
$5.50 Dress Shoes $3.95

$2.50 Men's Arctics, $1.19.
Big lot of Men's 1 buckle Arctics, values to $2.50, at **$1.19**

Shoes

$4.00 Shoes, $2.55.
Big lot of Men's fine Dress Shoes, all leathers, values up to $4.00 ..... **$2.45**

$4.00 Work Shoes $2.39

Big lot of Men's Dress Shoes, all leathers, values to $5.50 ..... **$3.45**

$4.50 Work Shoes $2.95
$6.00 Dress Shoes $3.95
$3.50 Boys 'Shoes $1.95
$3.00 Girls' Shoes $1.89
$1.50 Children's Shoes 95c

$2.50 Kimonas, 95c
Big lot of Ladies' Fancy Crepe Kimonas, values to $2.50
95c

$1.50 Gowns, 69c.
Big lot of Ladies' Flannelette Night Gowns, values to $1.50
69c

$25.00 Suits, $5.95.
Big lot of Ladies' Suits in all wool materials, last season's styles, values to $25.00
$5.95

$6.00 Coats, $1.95.
Big lot of Children's Coats in all materials, all sizes, $6.00 values
$1.95

$10.00 Coats, $3.95.
Big lot of Girls' Coats, all wool materials, values to $10.00
$3.95

Big lot of Ladies' Raincoats, all colors, values to $5.00, special
$1.00

$1.25 Union Suits, 59c
Big lot of Ladies' Petticoats, black and white striped; 75c values
59c

$2.00 Aprons, $1.19
Big lot of extra size Bungalow Aprons, all colors; $2 values
$1.19

25c Hose, 11c
Big lot of Ladies' Hose, black only; 25c valu
11c

$2.00 Union Suits, 95c
Big lot of Ladies' Fine ribbed Union Suits, $2.00 value
95c

$2.00 Hats, 49c
Big lot of Men's soft felt Hats, all colors; $2.00 value
49c

$2.50 Shirts, $1.29
Big lot of Men's extra heavy Flannel Shirts, $2.50 values
$1.29

75c Petticoats, 39c
Big lot of Ladies' fleeced Union Suits; values to $1.25
39c

$1.50 Knee Pants, 69c
Big lot of Boys' Knee Pant, all sizes; values up to $1.50
69c

75c Men's Caps, 29c
Big lot of Men's Fancy Dress Caps, values up to 75c
29c

$2.00 Shirts, 95c
Big lot of Men's fine Madras Dress Shirts; values up to $2.00
95c

$2.50 Union Suits, $1.59
Big lot of Men's extra heavy ribbed and fleeced Union Suits, $2.50 value
$1.59

$2.50 Children's Coats, 29c
Big lot of Children's Coats, mixed materials; values up to $2.50
29c

$1.00 Auto Hoods, 10c
Big lot of Ladies' Auto Hoods, all colors; slightly soiled; $1.00 values
10c

50c Rompers, 14c
Big lot of Children's Rompers, light colors; values up to 50c
14c

Sale Starts Saturday, February 8th, 9 A. M.

$10.00 Sweaters, $2.95
Big lot of Ladies' Silk Sweaters, all colors; values to $10.00
$3.95

MAX LEVINE

25c Lawns, 13c
1500 Yards of fancy India Linen; values up to 25c
13c

210 North Pittsburg Street, Connellsville, Penna.

WINNERS IN VARIOUS BRANCHES OF SPORT IN AMATEUR AND PROFESSIONAL CLASSES

Practically all branches of sport were continued last year despite the war, with the possible exception of yachting. Yacht racing on the Pacific and Atlantic was at a standstill because most of the yachtsmen were in different branches of sea or coast service. A few races were staged on the Great Lakes, but none of any importance, for the same reason.

Professional baseball was cut short because of the work-or-fight rule, but the big leagues played until September 2.

The Boston Red Sox in the American league and the Chicago Cubs in the National league won the big league pennants. Tyrus Raymond Cobb once more led the American league batters and Zack Wheat won the honors in the old league.

Net Honors Divided.

Despite the fact that nine of the ten ranking stars of 1917 were in the service the net game gained in popularity by leaps and bounds. The contest for the honor of being placed first in the ranking was so close that officials finally rearranged the system of ranking and placed two men, R. Lindley Murray and William T. Tilden, Jr., in Class 1, designating Murray as No. 1 in that class. The men in the next four classes of two men each compare to the others of what ordinarily would be the ranking ten.

Molla Bjurstedt, the robust Norwegian star who electrified the tennis world a few years ago by her wonderful debut, remained queen of the courts. The tennis committee rightfully placed her as No. 1 in the women's lists.

Ducote Gridiron King.

Football, under new and novel conditions, had the greatest season in its history. Army and navy service teams developed at camps and training stations produced great stars. The Cleveland naval reserve eleven, by virtue of its victory over Glenn Warner's Pittsburgh university team, showed itself to be one of the greatest teams, if not the greatest, in the country. Dick Ducote, fullback of the team, stands out as the big star of the season. His powerful line plunging and his defensive skill earn him the title of "greatest player of the year."

Chick Evans Stars.

There were no championship tournaments in golf. The leading stars of the game, however, gave their time and energy to staging benefit tourneys for the aid of war organizations and their efforts netted thousands of dollars. Chick Evans was easily the star of these tournaments. His playing in every meet was of championship caliber, which indicates the type of man Evans is. He gave the gallery his best, though there was little at stake. Miss Elaine Rosenthal, winner of the women's western championship, is the star of the women golfers.

OWNERSHIP OF EDDIE PLANK

Browns and Yankees Both Repudiate Star Left-Handed Twirler—Mix Up Between Clubs.

If Eddie Plank applies for reinstatement to organized baseball he will find that he belongs to two clubs and again he will be informed that two clubs say he does not belong to them. Traded to the Yankees by the Browns

Eddie Plank.

last winter Plank refused to report to the Yankees.

Miller Huggins announces that the veteran southpaw is not his property, because it was agreed with Quinn that Plank and Collop would revert to their original clubs if they failed to sign contracts in 1918.

However, Quinn countered Hug's opinion with a statement that the ancient southpaw flipper was the property of the Yank and that Collop belonged to the Browns.

The Southern association has adopted the novel plan of not having a player stay with one club more than three years.

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Bills to legalize boxing may be introduced in the New York and Illinois legislatures at the next session of those bodies.

Help Your Digestion

When acid distressed, relieve the indigestion with

KI-MOIDS

Dissolve easily on tongue—as pleasant to take as candy. Keep your stomach sweet, try Ki-moids

MADE BY SCOTT & BOWNE MAKERS OF SCOTT'S EMULSION 12-14

Don't Spoil a Good Meal With a Bad Stomach

If a physician, a specialist in stomach diseases, came to you and said: "I will fix up that miserable, worn out stomach for you or money back.

"I will make it as good as new so you will not suffer from any distress and can eat what you want without fear, or suffering, or money back, would you turn down his offer?"

And when you are offered Mi-o-na stomach tablets, made from a prescription better than many of the stomach specialists know how to write, are you going to be narrow minded and continue to suffer from indigestion, or are you going to be fair to yourself and try Mi-o-na on the money back agreement.

Mi-o-na stomach tablets are offered to you on this basis, that if they do not put your stomach into such good shape that there is no dizziness, sour stomach, biliousness, sick headache, and stomach distress, your money will be returned. For sale by A. A. Clarke and all leading druggists.—Adv.

RIVER LOADING PLANT

Part of Big System to Be Installed At Maxwell Mine of Frick Co.

As a further step in its extensive plans for the shipment of raw coal from its mines adjacent to the Monongahela river to the by-product plant of the Clairton Coke company at Clairton, the H. C. Frick Coke company is arranging to erect a river loading plant at the Maxwell mine.

A permit has been granted to construct a tipple, icebreakers and to place fender piles for a coal harbor on the right bank of the river about two miles below Fredericktown, on the Fayette county side.

The loading equipment to be installed at this point is of the same general character as that in operation at Gates and Bridgeport mines and will have a daily capacity of about 5,000 tons.

Lucky.

"Thousands of years ago men shaved themselves with sharks' teeth or with pieces of flint," said the young man who had been reading the "Notes of Science."

"How lucky," replied the fair maiden.

"Lucky? Why so?"

"I mean how lucky it is they have got to making razors in Germany. Otherwise the poor men would still have to shave with sharks' teeth and pieces of flint, wouldn't they?"

A Cinch.

"Talking about trying it on the dog, there is one job a theatrical manager in England must cover."

"Which job?"

"Master of the hounds."

Motor Measure.

First Motorist—How far did you drive last night?

Second Motorist—I did seventeen road notices.

Looking Backward

News of the Past Condensed from the Files of The Courier.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1889.

Detailed report of the Connellsville coke trade for the week ending February 2 shows a total of 13,881 ovens in the region of which 13,561 are in blast and 1,420 idle with a total estimated production of 102,333 tons.

Shipments for the week aggregated 5,600 cars distributed as follows: To Pittsburg, 1,400 cars; to points west, 2,100 cars; to points east, 1,300 cars; a decrease of 350 cars as compared with the previous week.

A strike of coke workers for a uniform scale of wages is a failure up to this time. The only works idle in the region because of the strike are Standard, Jimtown and Mammoth. Admitting the strike is a failure, President Thomas Boyle of the executive board of the Miners' Progressive Union, says "it is a badly muddled up piece of business."

Western Pennsylvania mining institute holds its annual session at Monongahela City.

The reported sale of the South Penn railroad to the Vanderbilts in trust for the Pennsylvania railroad company is practically confirmed. The offer of 60 cents on a dollar made by the Vanderbilts for the holdings of the other stockholders is generally accepted, a notable exception being D. H. Hostetter. He goes to New York expecting to make some arrangement by which the railroad will be pushed through. It meets with failure.

Marriage licenses are issued in Uniontown as follows: Emanuel Hutchinson and Mary Prinkey, both of Mill Run; Grant Linderman and Mary Moon, both of Stewart township; Thomas R. Hixenbaugh and Lulu McDonald, both of Perry township; William H. Coughenour and Elizabeth Hinebaugh, both of Ursina.

Among the grand jurors for the March term of court: Charles Miller and Grant Miller of Bullskin township; William Thompson, Dunbar township; Grant Raymond, Franklin township; Daniel Sproat, Lower Tyrone; Michael Brownsellier, Perry township; John Reese, David Sailor and John trout, Saltlick township; George W. Daniels, Stewart township, and James Owens, Upper Tyrone.

A black bear weighing 416 pounds is killed near Greens Spring Run, Md.

Fire Marshal Karl McCormick is endeavoring to induce council to place a hose house on the Pinnacle.

George H. Sharp, formerly superintendent for W. J. Rainey at Moyer, goes to Cleveland, O., to accept a position with the Ohio & Eastern Coal company.

The Mount Pleasant accommodation on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad is derailed by a broken switch frog at Mount Braddock. The train is in charge of Conductor John W. Porter with Engineer William Bradley at the throttle.

The Merchants Protective Association of Connellsville installs the following officers: President, John F. Soisson; vice president, E. Dunn; treasurer, H. L. Kurtz; secretary, Emmor Saunders; solicitor, William A. Davidson. Members of the board are George J. Humbert, J. A. Zimmerman, Joseph Soisson, William A. Davidson, J. D. Madigan, W. F. Soisson, E. D. Turner, F. A. Kall and B. T. Williams.

Harry Howard, a miner employed by the Wick Haven Coal company near Banning, steps into the shaft of the company's plant thinking the cage is there and drops 71 feet. One arm is fractured and the right leg badly mangled. He dies.

Engineer John Woodard of the Baltimore & Ohio suffers concussion of the brain in a wreck at Port Royal. Fireman C. S. Lincoln escapes injury.

George J. Humbert, general manager of the plant of the American Tin Plate Company at South Connellsville, and William H. Baldridge, secretary and treasurer of the company, resign. J. M. Cecil is placed in charge.

Private Frank Brain, Company C, 10th Pennsylvania Infantry, and a resident of Uniontown, dies of smallpox at Manila.

Marriage licenses are granted in Uniontown as follows: Milton R. Younkin and Mary F. Curtis, both of Connellsville township; Major Simms and Annie Simms, Dunbar; Frank Silcox of Connellsville and Margarette Smith, Dunbar; James O'Neal and Jennie Gentry, both of Mount Braddock; Oliver King and Mary Lane, both of Valley works; Ernest E. Martin and Cora May Jackson, both of Perrypolis.

FOR LUMBAGO

Try Musterole. See How Quickly It Relieves

You just rub Musterole in briskly, and usually the pain is gone—a delicious soothing comfort comes to take its place.

Musterole is a clean, white ointment, made with oil of mustard. Use it instead of mustard plaster. Will not blister.

Many doctors and nurses use Musterole and recommend it to their patients.

They will gladly tell you what relief it gives from sore throat, bronchitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frosted feet, colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia). Always dependable.

30 and 60c jars; hospital size $2.50.

MUSTEROLE

TELL THE WORLD THIS WOMAN SAYS

That Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound made Me a Well Woman.

Los Angeles, Cal.—"I suffered with female troubles for years, was sick most of the time, was not able to do my own housework, and I could not get help from doctors. I saw Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound advertised in the newspapers, and took six bottles, and am a well woman. You can use my name to tell the world the good your medicine has done me as I shall praise it always."—Mrs. A. L. DEVINE, 647 St. Paul Avenue, Los Angeles, Calif.

Women who suffer from any form of weakness, as indicated by displacements, inflammation, ulceration, irregularities, backache, headaches, nervousness or "the blues," should do as Mrs. DeVine did, and give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a thorough trial.

For over forty years this famous remedy, which contains the curative, strengthening properties of good old fashioned roots and herbs, has been correcting just such ailments. If you have mysterious complications write for advice to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

Mrs. Katharine Reece, 74 dies at Indian Head.

James Frew, a former resident of Connellsville, dies at Charleroi. He was 63 years old.

William F. Brinkman, 62 years old, dies at his home in Connellsville.

James F. Martin receives word of the death of his brother B. F. Martin, 69 years old, at Washington.

The Connellsville Military band is practicing for summer concerts. The present organization of the band is as follows: President, J. L. Evans; business manager, C. H. Russell; secretary, R. L. Wiant; treasurer, R. L. Hannam; director, James L. Russell.

Tony Bufano has two boxing contests on hand. One is for a ten round go with Charles Rush at Uniontown, and the other with Steve Russell of Pittsburg.

Their first daughter is born to Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Markle of New Haven. The father is at East Las Vegas, N. M.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1909.

Detailed report of the Connellsville coke trade for the week ending January 30 shows a total of 37,845 ovens in the region of which 23,564 are in blast and 14,281 idle with a total estimated production of 265,514 tons.

Shipments for the week aggregated 9,633 cars distributed as follows: To Pittsburg, 3,363 cars; to points west, 5,450 cars; to points east, 818 cars, a decrease of 162 cars as compared with the previous week.

The business block owned by Blair and Johnston at Vanderbilt, the residence of C. G. Blair and other buildings, the whole embracing five stores and a dwelling are destroyed by fire with a loss of $25,000.

The Morton will case is being tried in Uniontown. Mrs. Jennie L. Thompson and W. A. Bishop are the plaintiffs, suing Alexander B. Morton, Ralph S. Morton, Carrie Morton and the Methodist Episcopal church. The action is to determine the validity of a codicil to the will of Mrs. Morton.

John R. Byrne enters suit against the People's Tribune of Uniontown for $50,000 damages for alleged libel.

Mrs. Isabella Dawson, 52 years old, dies at her home here.

The Civic League of the Chamber of Commerce of Western Pennsylvania is organized with B. P. Wallace of Connellsville as president.

The Republican campaign in Connellsville is opened with J. L. Evans, the candidate for burgess and S. S. Snader for tax collector as leaders.

William Ferguson is made deputy coroner in the Scottdale region.

The tenth anniversary of the Philippine insurrection is celebrated by members of Camp Walter H. Brown at a bean bake. Major G. W. Neff of Masontown and James McKenna of Ronco are speakers.

Charles F. Hood, president of the Indian Creek Valley railway, company announced for plans a pleasure resort in the Indian Creek valley to be known as Killarney Park.

Plaintiffs win in suit over Morton will.

B. F. Gibbs, a Mount Pleasant undertaker, dies at Markleton.

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IT PENETRATES INSTANTLY MAGICAL RELIEF!

—FOR—

Rheumatism, Stiff Joints, Neuralgia, Burns, Backache, Sore Muscles, Lameness, Cold in Chest, Bruises, Sprains, Strains and Inflammation, nothing beats

Dr. Jones Liniment

THE GOOD OLD FASHIONED

BEAVER OIL

GRANDFATHER USED IT FIFTY YEARS AGO. IT'S JUST AS GOOD TODAY.

Draws out Pains and Inflammation in a wonderful way.

Keep a big bottle on hand for First Aid Emergency.

NOW SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

30, 60 and 1.20 Sizes.

LOOK FOR THE BEAVER ON EVERY PACKAGE

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BOTH PHONES

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Annual

MYSTERY SALE

of

COMMUNITY JEWELRY SHOP

100 S. Pittsburg Street, Connellsville

Starting on FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7 (and continuing until all the packages are sold) we will hold our Fourth Annual MYSTERY SALE. For the benefit of those who have never attended our mystery sale we will make this explanation. Every Jeweler after his Holiday business, has left in stock many articles, just one or two of a lot, odd sizes, and Holiday goods. In order to turn these goods each year, and not accumulate any dead stock, we place an article in each box, positively worth the price we ask for them. As an incentive to make them sellfast we have placedin the boxes, articles that cost from $150.00 down. The price of the packages are $1.00 and contain Watches, Clocks, Rings, LaVallieres, Knives, Chains, Wrist Watches, Razors, Rosaries and every article sold in a first class jewelry store. As an inducement to get you to attend this sale we have placed these articles in packages in this sale:

1—$150.00 Diamond Cluster Ring
1—$125.00 Diamond Ring
1—$75.00 Diamond Ring
1—Elgin 21 Jewel Watch
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We wish to announce that we have leased the room now occupied by Chas. T. Giles, JEWELER, 141 West Crawford Avenue, and will take possession April 1st. And many articles have been placed in this sale that in other years we would have kept. We think it better policy to sell them now than perhaps ruin them in moving.

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PENNSYLVANIA COUNCIL OF NATIONAL DEFENSE AND COMMITTEE OF PUBLIC SAFETY

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Fill in for any member of your family in the military or naval service of the United States or of the Allied Countries, from July 28, 1914, to date, and mail to 1300 Locust Street, Philadelphia.

1. Name .....
(Give name in full)

2. Home Address (P. O.) .....
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3. Next of kin .....

Address ..... Relationship .....

4. Age at entrance into service ..... 5. Date of entrance into service .....

6. Branch of service (a) Regular Army. (b) National Guard. (c) National Army. (d) Navy. (e) Naval Reserves. (f) Marine Corps.

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(b) Name and Number of Company, Regiment, etc. .....

(c) Where and when located since beginning service. (See point 12 below.) .....

(d) Rank, with dates of promotions .....
Name each Camp, Fort or Station. (See point 12 below.)

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(b) Branch of Service .....

(c) Exact Rank with dates of promotions .....

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11. Date of Discharge .....

12. Note: If space after a number on this blank is not sufficient, please note additional facts on a separate sheet. Furnish also, if possible, photograph, sketch of life, war experience, letters, diaries or any other interesting information.

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Submitted by .....

Address .....

Date .....

P. S.

Every Name is Wanted For the Official State Records.

Read the above questions carefully and answer them fully so that honor may be given where honor is due—to the State of Pennsylvania and its gallant defenders. The War History Commission, of the Pennsylvania Council of National Defense, is compiling an official record for historical purposes, of the men who, during the great war, entered the military and naval service of the United States or the Allies.

Names of men who voluntarily enlisted are, in particular, apt to be missing from the Honor Roll unless furnished by their families or friends. But all names, whether those of men who enlisted or who entered the service by draft selection are wanted.

Fill out a War Service Record for your soldier or sailor boy and mail it without delay

DELVER INTO NATURE

AMATEUR GARDENER CRANK OF THE HARMLESS VARIETY.

Does No Injury, and If the Fates Are With Him Possibly May Do a Little Good in This Sordid Old World.

When you meet a man now who has a furtive, faraway look in his eyes do not get the impression that he has robbed a bank or is planning some such escapade, for the chances are that he is only an amateur gardener preparing to plant his back yard patch. An amateur garden crank, it should be known, is about the most harmless creature on earth, the Oklahoma Times states.

There are many advantages in being a garden crank instead of being an automobile fiend or a chicken raiser. All that is necessary to be a garden crank is two seed catalogues, a dime's worth of seed, a hoe, a small plot of ground and much enthusiasm. To be a chicken raiser one must have at least a chicken house and a half dozen chickens, besides subscribing for a chicken paper or more dignified poultry journal.

Chicken raisers who have all the equipment necessary to be placed in the class of "chicken cranks" have also a large equipment of small live stock, together with the roup and other chicken ailments, that gives chicken raisers so much to talk about. Of course, a few eggs are necessary to give chicken raisers complete happiness. An egg a week, however, will keep one interested for months.

The amateur gardener should be encouraged. There should be a bonus offered and a large number of prizes. It requires only a small plot of ground on which to raise a large amount of "garden truck." Few persons who have not acquired the garden habit realize the joy of seeing the first little plantlet come through the dirt.

Much depends upon the quality of the seeds used. Even the most enthusiastic naturalist should not expect to get good, strong plants from seeds several years old or of a good quality. Nature is pretty generous where gardens are concerned, but even nature cannot overcome the handicap of poor seeds.

There are many vegetables which even the most amateurish amateur should not attempt to grow in town. For instance, potatoes for a family of six cannot be grown from a 4 by 10 garden bed, but on this same space, with proper proportion, plenty of onions, radishes, parsley, letture, and perhaps another vegetable or two may be raised.

New Gun Makes "Dead Shots."

A French inventor has made a frightful addition to the efficacy of the revolver. A small but powerful electric light is attached to the mechanism of pistol of ordinary size. By use of lenses and mirrors the glare of the circle of light which the lamp throws is bright enough to be clearly seen in daylight against so dark an object as a light colored suit of clothes.

Now the center of the circle of light, marked by a black spot by arrangement of the lenses, is exactly the spot where the bullet will strike. Thus all he has to do is to place the black center of the blazing circle of light over the heart of an adversary and pull the trigger.

At night the light is shockingly strong. Experiments with the new weapon show that perfect greenhorns who have never used a revolver in their lives, can shoot far more accurately than experts using an ordinary pistol.

Up to 60 yards one cannot miss a small bull's-eye, day or night, while extremely accurate shooting is possible up to 100 yards. The lamp arrangement adjusts automatically, by levels, to distances.

New Time System Puzzles.

The use of the new twenty-four-hour time system in France is likely to give rise to some rather curious results. One of these is brought out by A. De Mortellet, and relates to the striking of the hour.

It will not be very practical to use twenty-four strokes or less in succession, as these would be very difficult to count after a certain point. The number of strokes should therefore be reduced in some way.

He proposes using a double chime, one bell for units and the second for tens, the two bells to have a different tone. Or else with a single bell rapid strokes would show the tens, and slow strokes the units.

With two bells, one bell gives strokes up to nine. The second bell rings once for ten. For eleven, the first bell rings once and the second once, and so on in the decimal system. For twenty, the first bell rings twice, and so on.

His Experience.

A nice, clean German lad applied at a store for a job at selling clothing. The boss liked the applicant's looks, but doubted his experience.

"Have you ever sold clothing?" asked the employer.

"Ach, yes!" answered the applicant.

"Good. Where did you sell clothing?"

"Zwanzighundert Blankstrasse."

"Where? I never heard of such an address."

"I solt my clothes there."

"Why—that's a pawnshop!"

"Vell, vere you dink I sell my overcoat—at a drug store?"

Liked the Prospects.

Harold is a pretty wise youngster, and already, although still quite young, has developed a strong financial instinct. The other day he surprised his family by announcing his intention to enter the ministry in due season.

"Why, sonny," inquired his father, "I thought you were strong for the dollars? There's no money in religion, you know."

"Oh, but I think you must be mistaken, papa," cried Harold. "That's why I'm going to be a preacher—'cause I read in the paper that the United States pays our minister to Austria $12,000 a year!"

PLACES SAFEGUARD AROUND HER HOME

Mrs. J. Johnson, 220 W. Allegheny ave., Philadelphia, believes in the old adage about an ounce of prevention being worth a pound of cure. "I suffered from a run-down system, gastritis and stomach trouble," she says. "Every once in a while I was subjected to severe attacks of gastritis, with pain and distress and belching so bad I had to call in my neighbors. Now after using Tanlac pretty freely, I have my condition under control. I now always keep Tanlac around the home to safeguard the future. I have every faith in Tanlac."

The genuine J. L. Gore Co. Tanlac is now sold here by Beighley, Harmening and Connellsville Drug Stores.—Adv.

"EDUCATION" OF LONG AGO

College Man, Five Hundred Centuries Past, Differed Somewhat From His Prototype Today.

Oxford University is composed of twenty-one colleges. Among the largest of these is the one that, although it has stood for 500 years, is still called "New." It was built a hundred years before the discovery of America by William de Wykeham and was an expression of the most advanced ideas of education entertained in his day. So far as the architecture and plan of the building are concerned, the five centuries that have since elapsed have suggested but little that is better. English and American college builders still follow de Wykeham's model.

The undergraduate in de Wykeham's time, in order to obtain his B. A. degree, studied the logic of Porphyry and Boethius, something of Aristotle, and enough of arithmetic to enable him to find Easter. Three years more were usually spent in studying geometry, astronomy and astrology.

He lived in college. His allowance of money was one shilling a week. His breakfast was a piece of bread and a pot of beer at dawn. His dinner was eaten at 10 in the morning. He was given one suit of clothes yearly. Three times a year each student was required secretly to tell the masters of the misbehavior of his fellows, who then received "competent castigation."

The rules laid down by de Wykeham prohibited visits to taverns or "spectacles," the keeping of dogs, the playing of chess and other "noxious and illicit sports, shooting with arrows or other missiles, dancing, running, wrestling, or other incautious and inordinate amusements."

The only recreation permitted was the assembling around the fire on winter nights to indulge in "singing, or the reading of poems and chronicles of the realm and of the wonders of the world."

The college was summoned to dinner by two poor scholars, who ran around the quadrangles shouting in bad Latin and French, "Tempus est vocandi a manger, O seigneurs!" The "seigneurs" were obliged to eat in absolute silence.

"The bedbug carries typhoid germs!"
The scientist thus frets;
Is nothing in the world secure?
Must we kill off our pets?

WEAKNESS REMAINS LONG AFTER Influenza

Reports Show That Strength, Energy and Ambition Return Very Slowly to Grippe Patients.

After an attack of influenza, doctors advise that nature be assisted in its building-up process by the use of a good tonic—one that will not only put strength and endurance into the body, but will also help to build up and strengthen the run-down cells of the brain.

One of the most highly recommended remedies to put energy into both body and brain is Bio-feren—your physician knows the formula—it is printed below.

There's iron in Bio-feren—the kind of iron that makes red blood corpuscles and creates vigor. There is lecithin also, probably the best brain invigorator known to science. Then there is good old reliable gentian, that brings back your lagging appetite.

There are other ingredients that help to promote good health, as you can see by reading this formula, not forgetting kolo, that great agent that puts the power of endurance into weak people.

Taken altogether Bio-feren is a splendid active tonic that will greatly help any weak, run-down person to regain normal strength, energy, ambition and endurance.

Bio-feren is sold by all reliable druggists and is inexpensive. For weakness after influenza patients are advised to take two tablets after each meal and one at bed time—seven a day, until health, strength and vigor are fully restored.

It will not fail to help you and if for any reason you are dissatisfied with results your druggist is authorized to return your money upon request—without any red tape of any kind.

Note to physicians: There is no secret about the formula of Bio-feren, it is printed on every package. Here it is: Lecithin; Calcium Glycero-phosphate; Iron Peptonate; Manganese Peptonate; Ext. Nux Vomica; Powdered Gentian; Phenolphthalein; Olearsin Capsicum; Kolo.

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Come in Orange and White, Blue and White, Purple and White.

$5.00 Slip-ons	$3.15
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The THIRTEENTH COMMANDMENT

by RUPERT HUGHES

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Mrs. Chivvis waited unperturbed for further identification. Daphne had never heard of Mrs. Romilly, either, but she gasped as if she had been saying her prayers at the shrine of Romilly from childhood and now had been visited by the patron saint, whom she had recognized at once, of course.

"Oh yes, of course."

Mrs. Romilly was coughing on: "I've been to several shops, and I was almost in despair until I saw your sign. If you could do a few things in rather a hurry I fancy I could give you a large-ish order. And if the things were at all successful, I could throw quite a little trade your way. You're rather new, aren't you?"

Daphne assented that the firm was quite new. She brought forward an order pad and stood at attention.

Mrs. Romilly had trousseaued a large family of children and several poor relations. She knew what she wanted and what she ought to pay for it and when it should be done. Daphne took down her orders as if the little room were the mere vestibule to an enormous sweatshop where hundreds of sempsters would seize the job and complete it in a jiffy.

Mrs. Romilly Finished Her Wholesale Order and Came Wheezing Out Like a Grand Old Automobile of an Early Model.

Mrs. Romilly finished her wholesale order and wheezed out like a grand old automobile of an early model.

When they were alone the partners gazed at Daphne's list and then at each other.

"What on earth made you take it?" Mrs. Chivvis exclaimed. "You know we can't fill it."

"We're going to fill it."

"But how?"

"Darned if I know; but— Well, we'll have to get a lot of sewing-women in and sit up nights."

"But the material. We can't buy those things on credit."

"Then I'll borrow cash and pay for it."

"Borrow—where? You said you wouldn't trouble your brother."

"I'm not responsible for what I have said or may say. Besides, I don't mind going to Bayard, now that I can go with success. I'll call on him in a business way and offer him interest and all that. I guess Mrs. Romilly's name is good enough collateral."

All unconscious of Daphne's affairs, Bayard was approaching his office with the brisk manner of a triumphant capitalist. But that was bluff for outward effect. He was actually dizzy with loss of bearings and control.

Bayard had carried heavier burdens than Clay, and under the sting of Leila's whip had taken greater risks for higher prizes. The crash in the street had found him so extended that he could not recover without additional help. That very morning one of his brokers had called on him for a renewal of margins. He had to have five thousand dollars or he would lose fifty.

Rebuffed from every door, Bayard had gone to Wetherell's office—a mysterious sort of place surrounded by guards and secret service men to ward off the menace of spies, real and imaginary.

Bayard had unusual difficulty in passing the lines. The reason he soon heard. A new man was in charge in Wetherell's place, a retired British officer whose natural and affected gruffness was aggravated by the unpleasant nature of his tasks. He had only one eye.

He made Bayard describe who and what he was and what he wanted. Only Bayard's desperation gave him strength to ask this old Cyclops for an advance on new contracts.

Bayard went away in a stupor. He had intelligence enough to feel that he could less safely attack Wetherell now than before. He would seem to be implicated in the fellow's malfeasance. He would only advertise to his creditors that his vaunted contracts were worthless. Business men will endure much to escape such publication of their wrongs.

Bayard kept his head high till he reached his own office. Then he fell into his chair and propped his elbows on his desk and gripped his hot brows in his hands as if he were holding his [illegible] attitude of prayer.

It was thus that Daphne found him when she opened the door narrowly and closed it behind her as softly as La Tosca. She was beaming with affection and importance, and when at her mischievous "Ahem!" Bayard looked up she was so pretty that he forgot himself long enough to smile and rush forward to embrace her.

She was wondering how to state her errand when the telephone rang. It startled Bayard strangely. He caught it to his lips as a toper lifts a glass. He pressed the receiver to his ear and evidently recognized the voice that said "Hello" from somewhere.

He answered in monosyllables of the least importance, but Daphne heard gloom in them.

Bayard hung up the receiver, pushed the telephone away as a bitter cup, and laughed sheepishly.

"Great convenience, the telephone! Just learned that I've dropped more money than I ever hoped to have. 'For want of a nail the shoe was lost.' Oh well, it saves me from spending it foolishly. But if I'd had five thousand dollars— My God! if I'd had five thousand dollars."

Daphne could think of nothing more helpful to say than a casual, "How's Leila?"

"Don't ask me!" Bayard smiled. "Tell me. What can I do for you, honey, before I go to take some nasty medicine from the president."

"Nothing dear. I had to come downtown on an errand, so I thought I'd run in and say 'hello.'"

"Well, hello!"

He kissed her and patted her back with doleful tenderness and she went out of his office into the elevator. Its iron-barred door and its clanking chains gave it a congenial prison feeling, and the bottomless pit it dropped into seemed even more appropriate.

CHAPTER XXIV.

Daphne wanted to run away from her thoughts and she walked for a mile or two up the deep ravine of Broadway. She dared not go back to Mrs. Chivvis just yet with her bad news. She thought of asking Clay for a loan. She swept the appalling idea from her brain with a puff of derision. Besides, he was out of town, Bayard had said. She thought of asking Tom Duane for it. She tried to blow that idea from her mind, but it kept drifting back like a bit of stubborn thistledown. She could not outwalk it.

At length she grew so desperate that she stopped at a telephone booth and brazenly called up Duane's number. He chanced to be at home. When he heard her voice he cried:

"Oh Lord, it's good to hear you. Sing again, sing again, nightingale!"

"I'm no nightingale. I'm a business woman, offering you an investment."

She told him the whole story. The name of Mrs. Romilly made him whistle. "Old Gorgon Zola," he called her, and added, "You're a made woman."

"But the clothes aren't made, and I can't make 'em till I get some money. Would you—could you advance me a little on the most excellent security?"

"How much do you want? Where shall I bring it?"

"Mail two—er—five hundred dollars to the shop, will you? And I can never thank you enough."

"Hush. It's me that thanks you. Don't you want more?"

"No, thanks."

"It will be there in the early mail and I may call round later to put a mortgage or something on the place."

"Good-by," she chuckled, and hung up the receiver. She was crying softly as she stole from the blessed booth, and she looked less like a successful business woman than ever.

Something made her think of Wetherell. She stopped off at Bayard's floor and rang the bell. Leila's new butler admitted her with pomp. Daphne walked past him into the drawing-room. Leila and Wetherell were standing there in heavy coats. They seemed to be a little shocked at seeing Daphne. She was horribly hurt at seeing them, but she chirruped:

"Just come in?"

"Just going out," Leila answered, kissing Daphne nervously.

"Where?" Daphne asked, with intrepidity, as she shook hands with Wetherell—a prize-fighter's preliminary handshake it was.

"Oh—er—just motoring about a bit."

"Thanks—I'd love it," Daphne dared to say, almost as much amazed as they were at hearing her accept the invitation that had not been given.

She was quite shameless from their point of view, but she felt that it would be unpardonable to let her brother's wife go unrebuked or at least unaided and unchaperoned on a cruise so perilous to reputation if not to character.

While she was at the miserable business she decided to make a good job of it. When they went down to the car she squeezed in between Leila and Wetherell. Leila blanched with jealousy and cold rage.

They dined at Long Beach and watched the dancers in sullen mood. Wetherell ordered much champagne and would not listen to Leila's pleas that he let it alone. He frightened her a little by his reckless mood, and Daphne began to dread the journey home in the dark with champagned hands on the steering wheel.

After Daphne and he had executed a funeral dance Leila was emboldened to step out with him. They talked very earnestly and he seemed to horrify her by what he said to her. Daphne could not imagine what it was. Bayard had not told her of Wetherell's downfall from power.

Wetherell confessed his disgrace to Leila in the dance, and Leila was sickened with the sordid outcome of her romance. She had played with fire and got soot on her hands. She quit the dance and asked to be taken home.

Wetherell felt that she had turned against him and he reached for the last of the wine to fling it down his throat. Leila grimly took it from his fingers and emptied it in the ice bucket.

"Chauffeurs and champagne are a bad combination," she laughed, but there was a sneer on her lips.

"Oh, very well!" Wetherell sneered in turn. He paid for the dinner and tipped the waiter with the lavishness of a bankrupt. He tipped lavishly the man who guarded his car, and swung out into the road with an instant speed that would have been prettier if there had been less danger.

Daphne and Leila were good sports, but they were not merry. Wetherell furnished all the merriment, and his was from wine and despair. It was the wine that brought out the truth. He had to tell Daphne what he had told Leila, of his misfortune with his bally old government.

He asked Daphne to explain to Bayard how sorry he was that he was involved in the crash.

"Your broth' Bayard's aw'fly nice fel', Miss Skip. He's got nicest li'l wife in worl'. Perf'ly good li'l girl. Straight as a string—straight as they make 'em. No nonsense about li'l Leil'. I just love her—perf'ly hon'or'ble love. I'd do anything in worl' for Leil'—or li'l Miss Daffy—or ol' broth' Bay'd. Tell him 'at, will you, like a goo' li'l girl? Tell Bay' 'at, will-li'?"

Daphne grew furious. She felt now that she had justified her presence here. She held Leila fast in her embrace and commanded Wetherell, "Slow down at once! Do you hear? Slow down this car!"

Wetherell laughed: "Bless li'l heart, I'm goin' take you home. You're quite shafe with me—quite. Man that's born to be hanged never drown or get automokilled—that's good word—automokilled—eh, what?"

They whipped round a somber jut in the road, and his searchlight painted instantly in white outlines against the black world a wagonload of sleepy children returning from some village church affair. They were singing, drowsily, "Merrilee we ro-la-long-ro-la-long."

Daphne and Leila seemed to die at once.

Wetherell groaned, "Oh, my God, the li'l chil'ren!"

There was nothing for Wetherell to do but what he did. He spun his wheel and drove his thunderbolt into an open concrete culvert. There was a furious racket. The car turned a somersault and crumpled in a shuddering mass.

Wetherell, pinioned under the wheel, was knocked this way and that and his beautiful head cracked on the concrete like a china doll's.

Leila was snatched from the car as if invisible hands had caught her exquisite body for a lash to flog a telephone pole with, then threw her into a ditch. Daphne was flung and battered and thrust under the car when it turned over. And then the gasoline spilled from the shattered tank and caught fire.

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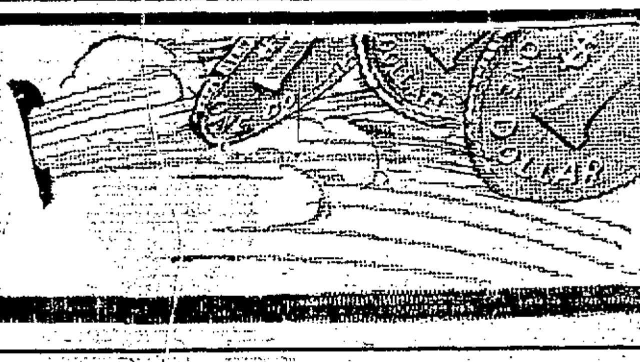

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5 pair Men's Dress Hose	$1.00
$2.50 Men's Sweaters	$1.00
Any Women's or Misses' Trimmed Hat	$1.00
Ladies' and Men's Rain Coats, $5 values for	$1.00

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Coats, Suts and Dresses

One Lot of Women's and Misses' Up to $25 Values, All Go at Coats, Suits $9.95

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Up to $15.00 Values For Saturday Only

Only 35 in the lot, made up of the finest quality Serge, beautifully trimmed, all sizes and colors, for Saturday only $5.85. **$5.85**

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Up to $35 values, all wool Velours, Broadcloths, all beautifully fur trimmed, al colors and sizes **$18.75**

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All new up-to-date Spring styles, beautiful colors, large fancy pockets in fronot, regular $7.50 values **$4.95**

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One lot of Women's Dress Shoes in black, tan and two-tone colored tops, in high or low heels, up to $5 values for tomorrow only **$1.95**

Men's $5.00 Dress Shoes	$3.95
Boys' and Girls' School Shoes	$1.95
$7.50 Women's fine Kid Shoes in brown	$5.90
Men's $4.00 Working Shoes	$2.69

Extra Specials! Boy's Suits

All sizes, up to $5.00 values. Only 25 in the lot. On Sale tomorrow at **$2.69**

One lot of Men's fleeced and ribbed Underear to go at the special price of **95c**

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The Greatest Clothing Sale in the history of Connellsville. Every Suit and Overcoat must go to make room for our Spring stock. Read these onderful values.

$15.00 Suits and Overcoats	$8.95
$20.00 Suits and Overcoats	$9.95
$30.00 Suits and Overcoats	$14.95
$35.00 Suits and Overcoats	$18.95

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DON'T spend half a year's income for a furnace.

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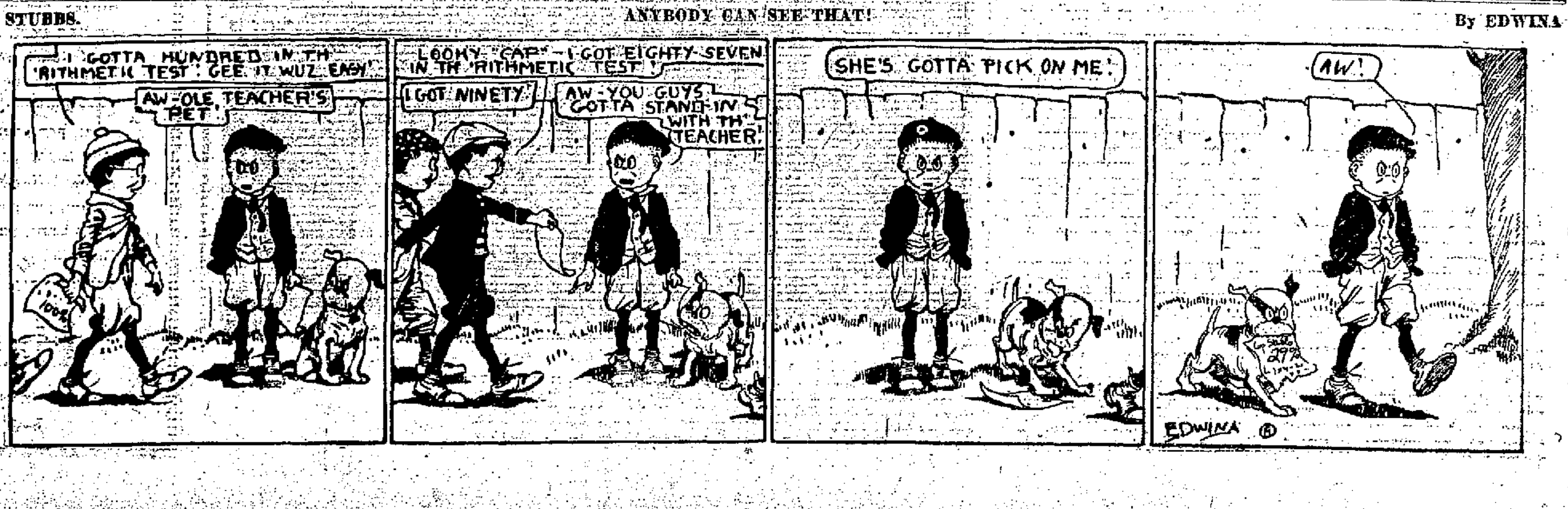

FURTHER PROGRESS WAS MADE IN ADAPTING PRODUCTION TO NEEDS

Four and Five-Day Operating Schedules and Blowing Out of Ovens

CUT OUTPUT 14,000 TONS

Greater Curtailment at Plants of the Independent Furnace and Merchant Interests; Total Loss 30,000 Tons Since Recession in Demand Began.

From The Weekly Courier.

To the extent that the coke region has curtailed production it may be said to have progressed in the direction of better adapting itself to the diminishing needs of the trade. The leading merchant operators, having determined to prevent, as far as possible, an accumulation of surplus coke, are regulating the operation of their plants to produce only that quantity for which sale has already been made rather than assume the risk of having unconsigned loads on their hands or big stock piles on the yards. In furtherance of this policy the one day lay-off has not only become general at the merchant plants, but many of them made it two days last week so as to more certainly keep production within the limits of customers' requirements. There was also a further reduction in the number of idle ovens which are quite likely to be added to during the current week.

These restrictive measures resulted in a decrease of estimated production for the week of 14,680 tons, just a trifle more than the reduction during the week immediately preceding, or a total curtailment of close 30,000 tons in the weekly output since formal notice was given of the removal of government price regulations and the consequent softening of the market. While there remains some coke that is without immediate market, and some has been moved at a considerable sacrifice in price, for the most part it consists of those grades that are always the first to feel the effects of a lessened demand. Otherwise the trade is meeting the situation without serious disturbance of price limits.

The relative greater activity of the United States Steel Corporation as a producer of iron and steel finds reflection in the steadier rate of operation maintained at the plants of the H. C. Frick Coke company, as compared with the plants of the independent steel interests and the merchant coke producers. Of the 492 ovens added to the idle list last week 350 of these were at plants of the independent steel interests and 142 at the merchant plants, the active list of the H. C. Frick Coke company remaining unchanged. Six days was the running order at the latter last week while the merchant ovens made but four and five days' time, the average for the region being between four and three-quarters and five days.

One noticeable effect of the slowing down has been an increase in the degree of efficiency and application of the mine and coke workers. Realizing that the recent volume of business cannot be expected to be regained until the country begins to move forward on a tidal wave of prosperity following a settlement of the issues before the peace conference, and the complete readjustment of industry to after the war conditions, workers deem it prudent and wise to hold on to their jobs. As a consequence they are giving closer attention to their tasks than they felt incumbent upon them to do during the high tension days of war time when there were jobs waiting for men, instead of the reverse condition prevailing at present.

Aside from the steps taken to regulate production to present market requirements and the recessions in price, the lifting of governmental control cannot be said to have produced any marked effects on the coke industry. One thing is certain, however, and that is that both operators and men have profited much by the lessons learned during the past 17 months. Not so much, perhaps, in things that they did not before know, but they have been taught new methods of utilizing the means they have at their own command to increase production and otherwise increase the efficiency of themselves and their plants.

Estimated production of coke for the week ending Saturday, February 1, was 262,644 tons, contributed by the two districts in the following proportions: Connellsville, 149,140 tons; Lower Connellsville, 113,504 tons, decreases of 1,496 and 13,184 tons, or a total decrease of 14,680 tons. By interests the production was: Furnace, 158,880 tons; merchant, 103,764 tons, decreases of 4,124 and 10,556 tons respectively, indicating the greater necessity for and activity of the merchant oven in curtailing production.

Coal production during the week fell to 177,399 tons, a loss of 18,308 tons from the preceding week. Reduced to its coal equivalent the coke production represents 393,966 tons of coal, making the aggregate coal production 565,365 tons, a decrease of 40,328 tons from the aggregate of the week ended January 25.

Compared with the corresponding week of 1918, when the thermometer was registering zero and below day after day, it is interesting to note that last week's coke production was about 49,000 tons greater.

Heating Bargains!
If so, read our advertising columns.

COKE TRADE SUMMARY.

A further reduction of 14,680 tons in weekly production, or a total of approximately 30,000 tons since the order to lift government control from coke and coal was announced, marks the progress the Connellsville region has made in the direction of better adapting itself to the diminishing needs of industry. This curtailment was affected by the observance of a five-day work schedule at some and a four-day schedule at other of the merchant and independent steel interests' coke plants and by the blowing out of additional ovens. Those added to the inactive list last week numbered 492, 350 of which were at independent steel plants and 142 at merchant oven plants. The H. C. Frick Coke company, reflecting the relatively greater activity of the United States Steel Corporation in the production of iron and steel, held to a six-day schedule and with its active oven list unchanged.

Coke production for the week was 262,644 tons, a loss of 14,680 tons from the preceding week, the greater loss having been sustained by the Lower Connellsville district and the merchant ovens. Compared with the corresponding week of 1918, when the weather was at zero and below day after day, the production of the past week was about 48,000 tons greater.

The market is very quiet. Shipments are going forward without interruption hence furnaces have no occasion to make open market purchases. Standard coke commands $5 to $5.50.

Hot Water for Sick Headaches

Tells why everyone should drink hot water with phosphate in it before breakfast.

Headache of any kind, is caused by auto-intoxication—which means self-poisoning. Liver and bowel poisons called toxins, sucked into the blood, through the lymph ducts, excite the heart which pumps the blood so fast that it congests in the smaller arteries and veins of the head producing violent throbbing pain and distress, called headache. You become nervous, despondent, sick, feverish and miserable, your meals sour and almost nauseate you. Then you resort to acetanilide, aspirin or the bromides which temporarily relieve but do not rid the blood of these irritating toxins.

A glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, drank before breakfast for awhile, will not only wash these poisons from your system and cure you of headache but will cleanse, purify and freshen the entire alimentary canal.

As your pharmacist for a quarter pound of limestone or phosphate. It is inexpensive, harmless as sugar.

If you aren't feeling your best, if tongue is coated or you wake up with bad taste, foul breath, or have colds, indigestion, biliousness, constipation or sour, acid stomach, begin the phosphated hot water cure to rid your system of toxins and poisons.—Adv.

NO IMPROVEMENT IS NOTED IN THE BUYING OF PIG IRON OR STEEL

Operations As a Whole Are at About 70 to 75 Per Cent, the Greater Activity by U. S. Steel Plants.

Special to The Weekly Courier.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—The American Metal Market and Daily Iron & Steel Report will review the steel and iron trades tomorrow as follows:

No material improvement is noted in the rate of buying of pig iron or steel products. Current operations, restricted as they are, are predicated chiefly upon old orders or, to a limited extent, in the accumulation of stocks. The old orders are running out and the building up of producers' stocks cannot continue for any great length of time. All producers agree that if they were working only on new orders as received their operations would be much less than at present.

The steel industry as a whole is operating at about 70 per cent, possibly 75 per cent, of its full capacity. The independents as a rule are operating at a much lower rate than this while the United States Steel Corporation subsidiaries, with scarcely an exception, are operating at a materially higher rate, and to a large extent their extra production is being stocked. Some of the mills are provided with storage facilities while others ship to the United States Steel Corporation warehouses located in various districts. Normally these warehouses carry large stocks, but at the close of the war they contained scarcely anything. The United States Steel Corporation's object is to provide employment and hold down the cost of production per ton.

While there are predictions of a mild revival in buying in the early spring, the common opinion is that the steel industry will see no real activity, commensurate with its capacity, before next autumn at the earliest. The industry is well fortified for a period of comparative idleness and is content with the situation. There are various reasons for maintaining prices and no cogent one for reducing them. When buyers are ready to take hold in a large way such prices will no doubt be made as will facilitate their doing so. Steel producers made no formal promises along this line, and with the record of the past so plainly written it is not necessary that they should do so.

Anthracite Operators Want Men.

Anthracite operators state that there are openings in the industry for 34,000 men.

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Annual February Sale!

White Goods

Brings New Spring Merchandise With Attractive Price Concessions.

—500 yards Blue Bird Mull, 36 in. wide, pure white, soft finish, regular at 35c. **White Sale Price 25c yard.**

—400 yards 32 in. Imperial Chambray Gingham, blue and white checks, pink and white checks, plain blue, regular at 50c. **White Sale Price 32c yard.**

—100 bolts 36 in. Longcloth, soft chamois finish, 10 yard lengths, regular at $3.35 bolt. **White Sale Price $2.85 bolt.** Will not cut.

—50 bolts Sheer White Nainsook, 12 yard bolts, regular at $4.00. **White Sale Price $3.00 bolt.** Will not cut.

—300 yards 36 inch Killarney Linen, special at 38c yard.

—100 yards 36 inch Nurses' Cloth, regular at 75c. **White Sale Price 58c yard.**

—200 yards 36 inch Ivory Cotton Wash Satin, regular at $1.00. **White Sale Price 68c yard.**

Voiles

Flaxons **Novelties**

—Fancy White Voiles in plaids, checks, dots, stripes and figures, 36 to 40 inches wide, 85c to $1.25 yard.

—Plain White Cotton Voiles, 40, 42, 44 inches wide, at 35c, 50c, 75c, $1.00 yard.

—Plain White Flaxons, 40 inches wide, at 40c, 50c, 65c, 85c yard.

—White Piques, 27 to 36 inches wide, at 38c to $1.00 yard.

—White Poiret Twill, 36 inches wide, at 85c to $1.25 yard.

—White Organdies, imported and domestic, sheer, washable qualities, 40, 42, 44 inches wide, at $1.00, $1.25, $1.35, $1.75 yard.

"Box" Nainsooks Specially Priced

Perhaps you know them best as "Japanese Nainsooks," for their very best friends speak of them that way. They are of elegant texture—fine and soft enough even for baby's little garments. Specially priced, too, for this sale event.

36 inch Priscilla Nainsook
10 yard Boxes $5.00 Box.
39 inch Cinderella Nainsook.
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10 yard Boxes $7.50 Box.

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Fresh New White Merchandise At Attractive Price Reductions

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$1.00 Kinds 79c	$2.50 Kinds $1.95	$5.00 Kinds $3.95
$1.50 Kinds $1.29	$3.00 Kinds $2.19	$6.95 Kinds $5.95
$2.00 Kinds $1.69	$4.00 Kinds $2.59	$7.95 Kinds $6.95

LACE AND EMBROIDERY TRIMMED CHEMISE

—Regular 75c Kinds 48c	—Regular $2.50 Kinds $2.19
—Regular $1.50 Kinds $1.29	—Regular $3.50 Kinds $2.95
—Regular $2.00 Kinds $1.69	—Regular $4.50, $5 Kind $3.95

LACE AND EMBROIDERY TRIMMED GOWNS

—Regular $3.50 Kinds $2.95	—Regular 85c Kinds 69c
—Regular $4.00 Kinds $3.50	—Regular $1.25 Kinds 95c
—Regular $5.00 Kinds $3.95	—Regular $1.50 Kinds $1.29
—Regular $5.95 Kinds $4.95	—Regular $3.00 Kinds $2.48

CORSET COVERS AND DRAWERS

—50c Corset Covers 39c	—75c Drawers 59c
—75c, 85c Corset Covers 59c	—$1.00 Drawers 79c
—$1, $1.25 Corset Covers 89c	—$1.50 Drawers $1.29
—$2.50 Corset Covers $1.95	—$2.00 Drawers $1.69

Muslinwear for Stout Women a Feature

—$2.00 Garments now $1.59	—$3.25 Garments now $2.89
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—$2.50 Garments now $2.19	—$5.00 Garments now $4.50
—$3.00 Garments now $2.69	—$6.00 Garments now $5.50
	—$7.00 Garments now $6.50

One Lot Combination Petticoats and Corset Covers, Regular Sizes, Reduced One Third.

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Domestics

Splendid Quality Merchandise Needed in Every Home

—1000 yards Standard Lancaster Ginghams, special in the White Sale, at 22c yard.

—2000 yards Hill and Lonsdale Bleached Muslin, regular at 30c, **White Sale Price 25c yard.**

—350 yards 17 in. all line Bleached Russian Crash, regular at 32c, **White Sale Price 27c yard.**

—250 yards 17 in. pure White Cotton Huck Toweling, regular at 30c, **White Sale Price 25c yard.**

—Full bleached Canton Flannel, 27 in. wide, 35c values 25c yd., 30c values 20c yd.

—Bleached Outing Flannel, 27 in. wide, heavy tufted, full bleached, 35c values, **White Sale Price 25c yard.**

—150 yards Fancy Marquisette, 38, 40 in. wide, edges slightly soiled, regular at 55c to 65c, **White Sale Price 40c yard.**

—300 yards 40 in. Marquisette, white and cream, values up to 45c, **White Sale Price 35c yard.**

—500 yards Union and all linen Crash, short lengths of 1 to 5 yards. **Save 3c to 6c a yard.**

—1000 yards 27 in. Bates Gingham, short lengths, assorted styles, stripes, checks, plaids, plain, values 45c. **White Sale Price 30c yard.**

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Fine Linens

Prices Sharply Reduced Regardless of Quality

—70 inch Mercerized Cotton Damask, various neat floral patterns, regular $1.00 values. **White Sale Price 85c the yard.**

—Part Linen Damask, 70 inches wide, three floral patterns to choose from, regular at $2.00. **White Sale Price $1.50 the yard.**

—Part line bleached Damask, extra heavy quality, beautiful floral patterns, regular $2.75 values. **White Sale Price $2.00 the yard.**

—Many other splendid values in both table and decorative Linens besides these advertised.

Pictorial Review Patterns For March
Spring Fashion Book Free Fashion Sheets
Now Ready

Grace Drayton's Paper Dolls
In Beautiful Colors To Cut Out
Containing 8 Full Size Figures
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Complete Spring Lines

Art Needlework

Arrived Just in Time For This February Sale

—Complete new Spring line of Royal Society Packages Art Needlework, including stamped and made-up Underwear, Children's stamped Dresses, Cushions, Doilies, Scarfs and Squares. Spring line finished models also ready.

—Complete line of stamped underwear including bloomers, combination suits, Princess slips, vests, Billy Burkes, and Night Gowns, featuring the latest designs in stamping.

—Complete stock of those popular MINERVA YARNS in all the new Spring shades.

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WITH
Serious Frivolous
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GREETINGS
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Hosiery

Silk—Lisle—Cotton For Women and Children

—250 pairs Women's white mercerized Lisle Hose, sizes 8½ to 10, regular 50c values. **White Sale Price 35c; 3 pairs for $1.00.**

—150 pairs Women's Fibre Silk Boot Hose, white only, regular at 75c. **White Sale Price 58c pair.**

—100 pairs Women's pure thread Silk Hose, sizes 8½ to 10, double lisle tops, heels, soles and toes. Regular at 2.25. **White Sale Price $1.75 pair.**

—350 pairs Children's white ribbed Hose, sizes 7 ti 9½, **extra special at 25c pair.** No more at this price when these are gone. Buy your entire season's needs.

COAL PRODUCTION DOWN TO 9,159,000 TONS WEEK OF JAN. 25

Loss of 723,000 Tons Compared With Previous Week and 1,000,000 Tons, Below Same Week, 1918.

A considerable decrease occurred in production of bituminous coal during the week ended January 25, says the report of the United States Geological Survey, the output declining to the low level of 9,159,000 net tons. This production which falls approximately three quarters of a million net tons below the preceding week, and approximately one million net tons below the corresponding week of last year is at the rate of 475,000,000 net tons per annum and is considerably below present consumption. Many consumers are now using coal accumulated during last summer and the present good weather enables certain consumers to await the outcome of the raising of the zone and price restrictions by the United States Fuel Administration before placing their orders.

The daily production of bituminous coal during the current week estimated at 1,526,000 net tons is 10 per cent below the daily average for the coal year to date and 13 per cent behind the daily average for the same period of last year. The total production for the period April 1 to January 25 is now estimated at 436,686,000 net tons and is 34,856,000 net tons or 7.7 per cent in excess of last year's production for the same period of time.

The production of anthracite increased considerably during the week ended January 25, and was slightly in excess of the average weekly production for the coal year to date. Preliminary estimates place production of anthracite for the current week at 1,886,000 net tons as against 1,786,000 net tons during the week of January 18, and as against 1,719,000 net tons during the week of January 25, 1918.

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Stop that weakening, persistent cough or cold, threatening throat or lung affections, with Eckman's Alterative, the tonic and upbuilder of 30 years' successful use. 50c and $1.50 bottles from druggists, or from ECKMAN LABORATORY, Philadelphia

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